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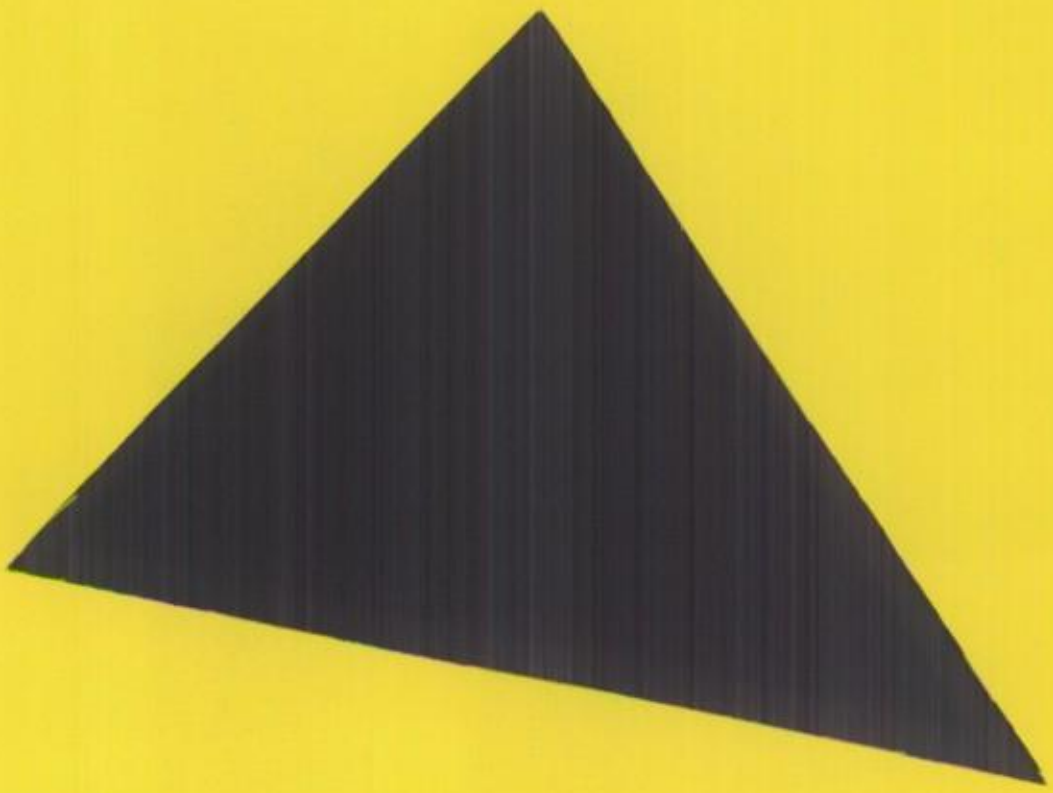

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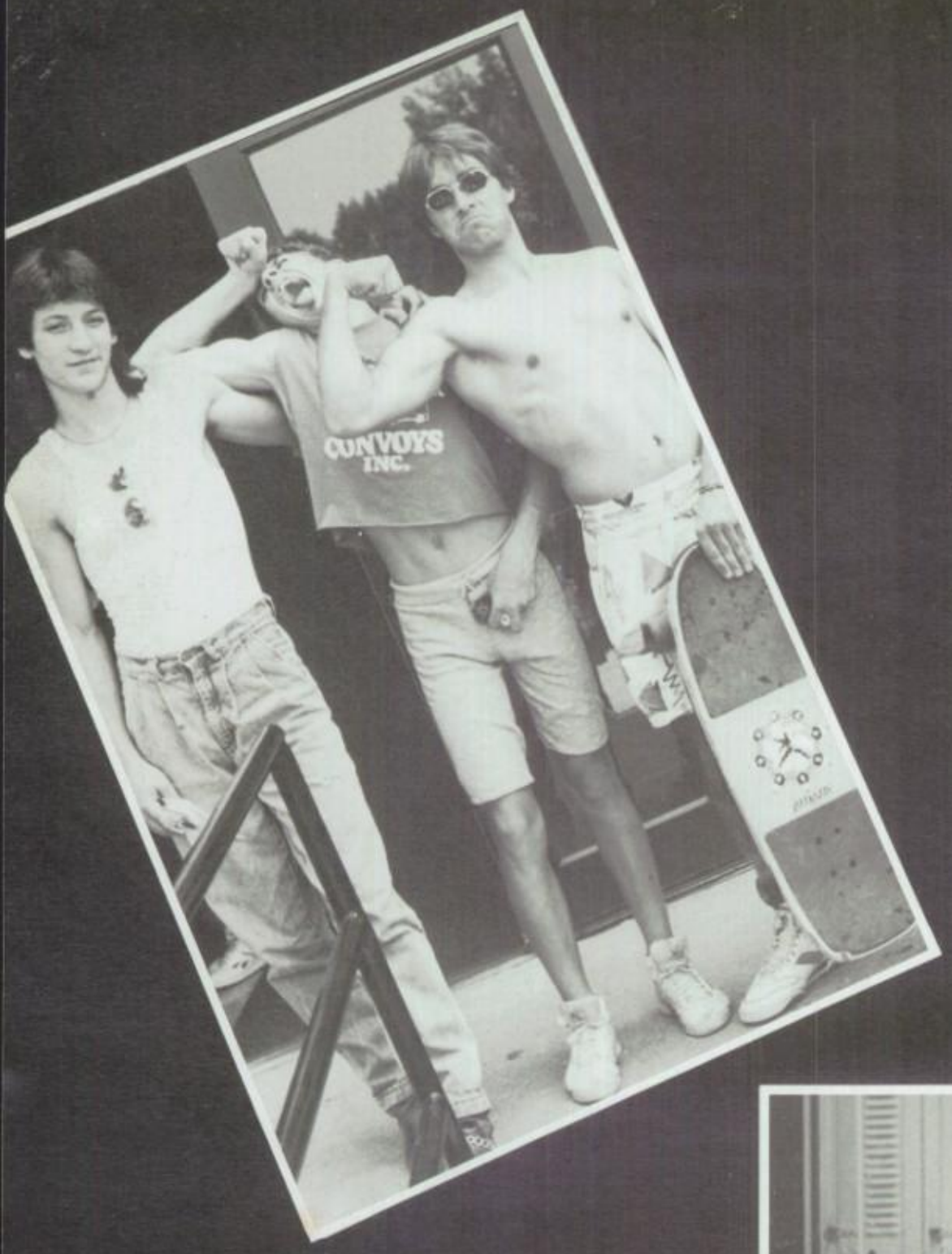
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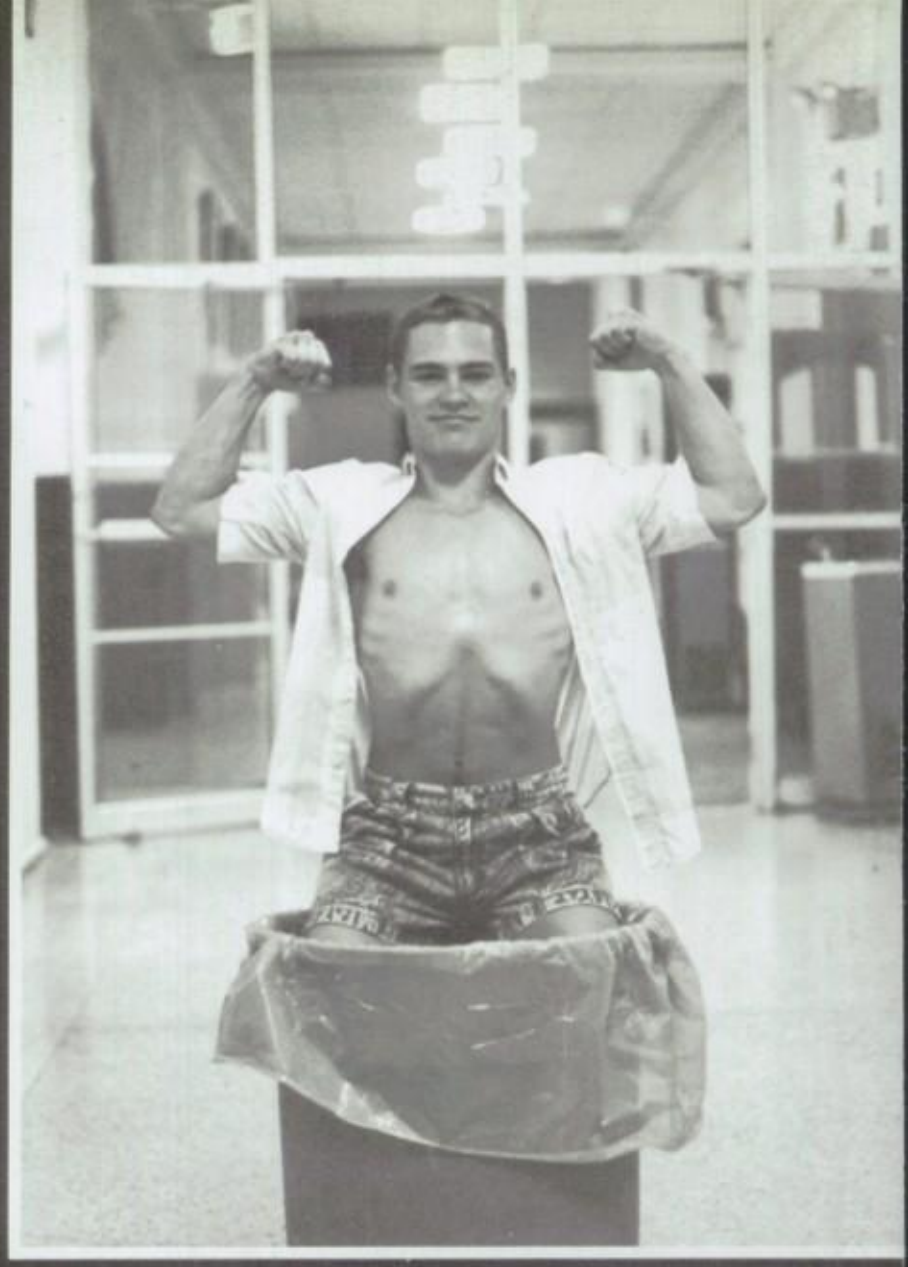

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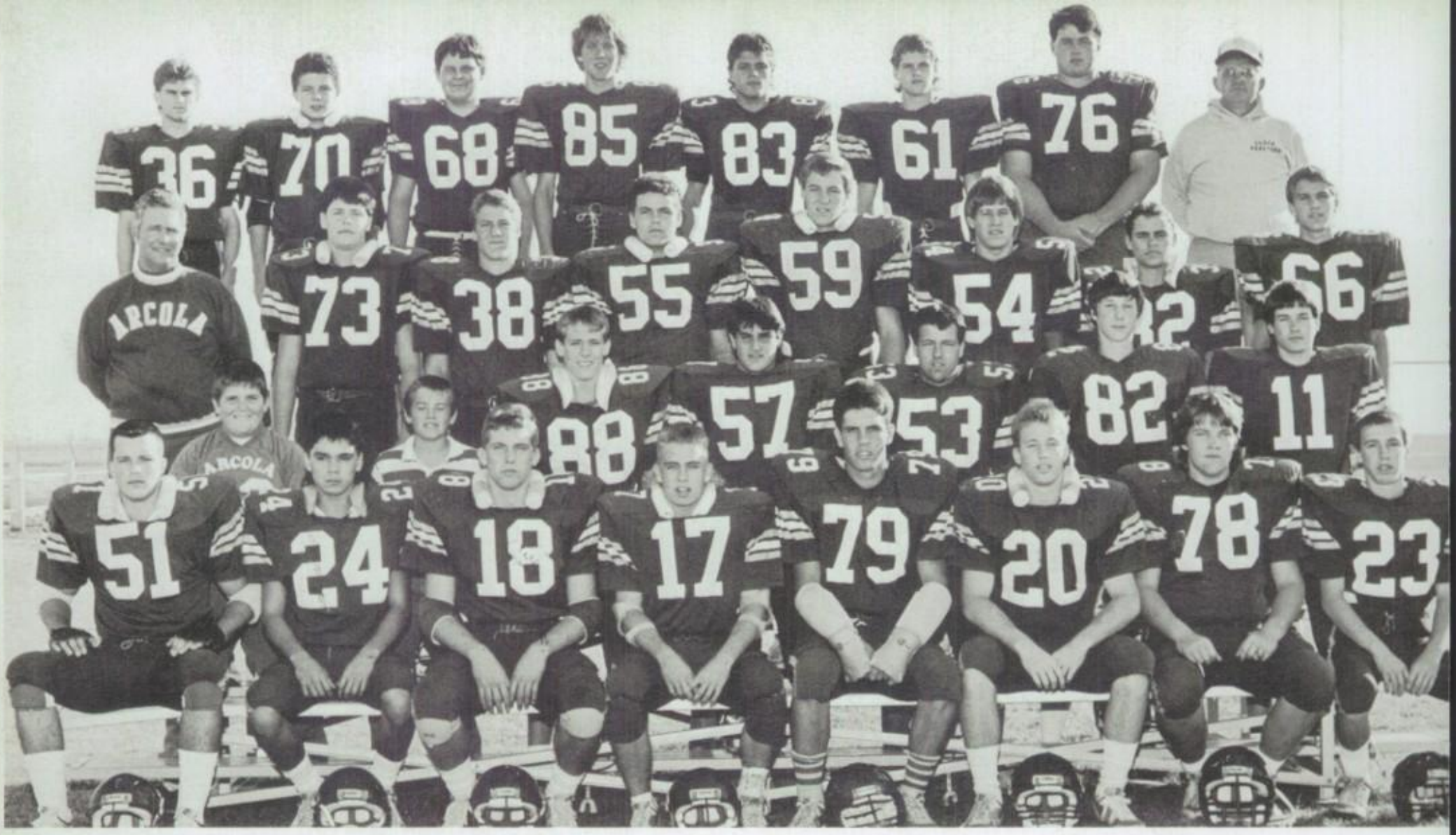
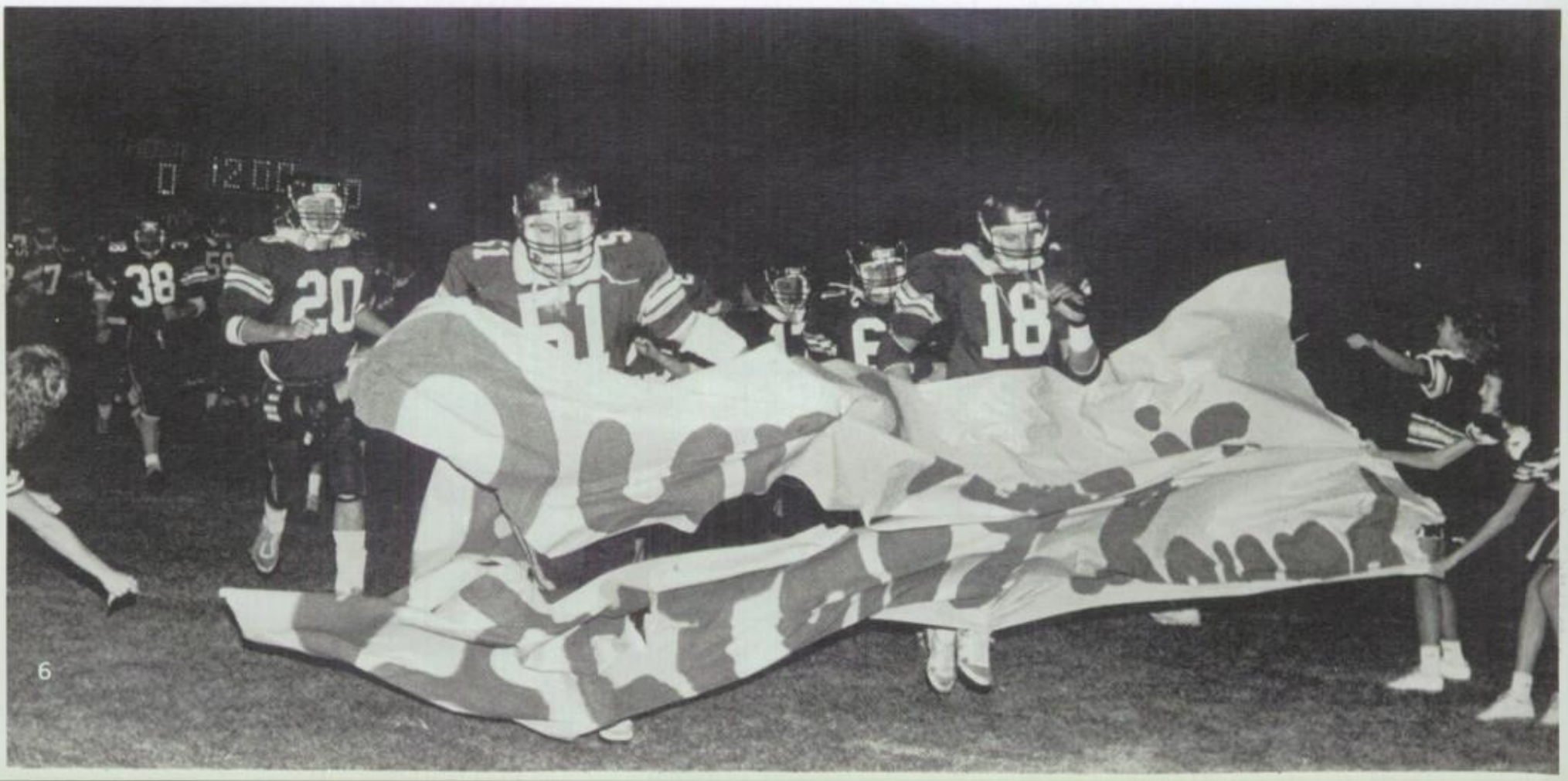


TWO POINTS KEEP RIDERS FROM SUCCESS

Pictured above is the Varsity Team. Top Row, L to R: Jason Butler, Barry Logan, Martin Wheeler, Jason Devore, Troy Sylvester, Trent Gibson, Erik Fultz, and Coach Bradford. Next Row: Coach Thomas, Chris Davis, Chris Monahan, Brian Moore, Matt Monahan, Shawn Lee, Ryan Brewer, and Heath Baumann. Third Row: Managers Ty Downing and Cainan Willison, Chad Graves, Curt Schroeder, Mike Smith, Matt Henson, and Brett Keller. Bottom Row: Kevin Bushu, Ron Gilliland, Shannon Gordon, Cory VanDeveer, Steve Hove, Chad Hopkins, Jerry Beals, and Chet Melton. To the right are Coaches Bradford and Thomas giving directions. To the far right, opposite page, is junior Cory VanDeveer trying to turn upfield for a gain for the Purple Riders. Below Cory, are the four seniors on the team. They are Steve Hove, Shannon Gordon, Kevin Bushu, and Chet Melton.

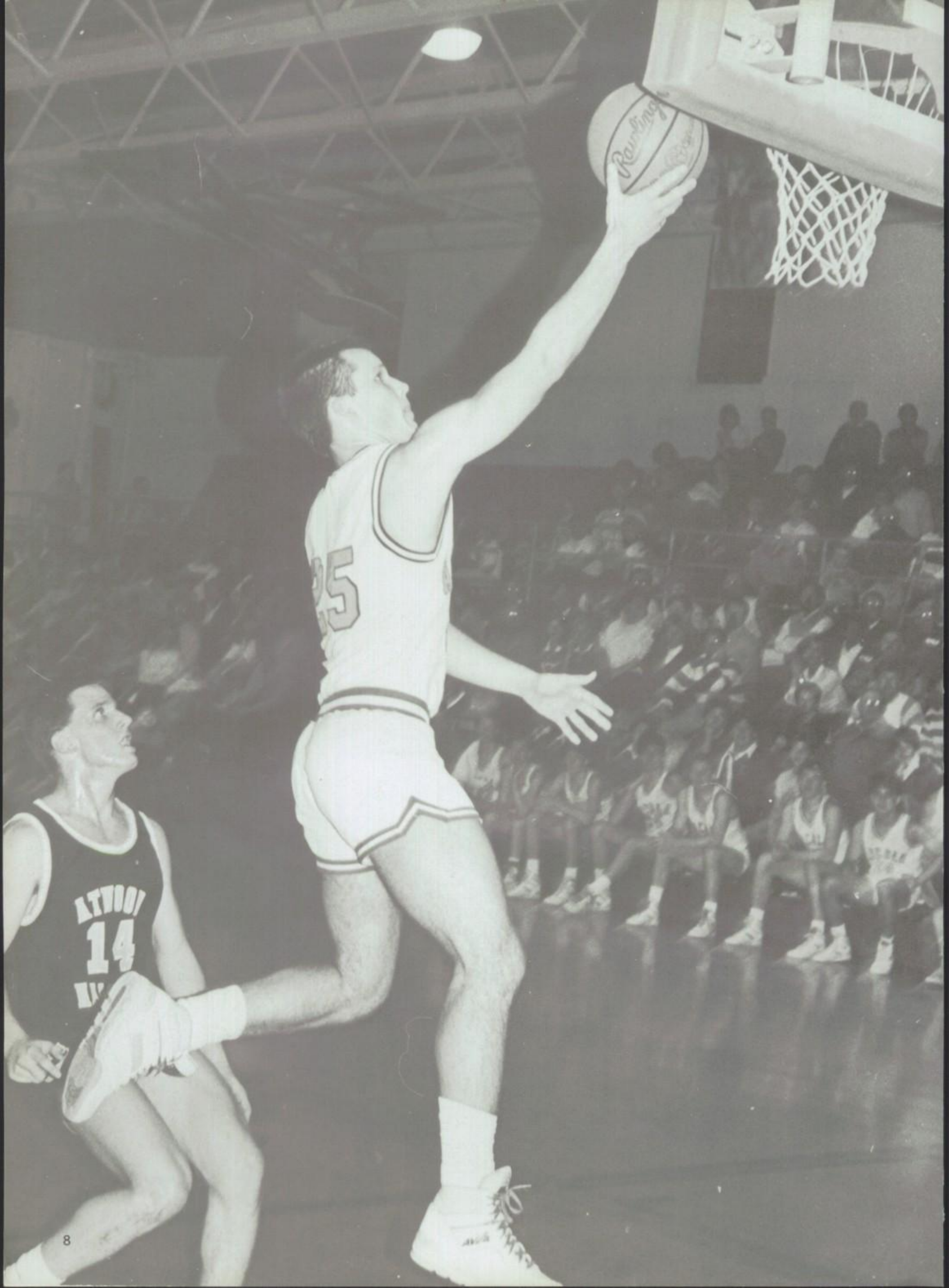
SENIOR LEADERSHIP LEADS TO VICTORY

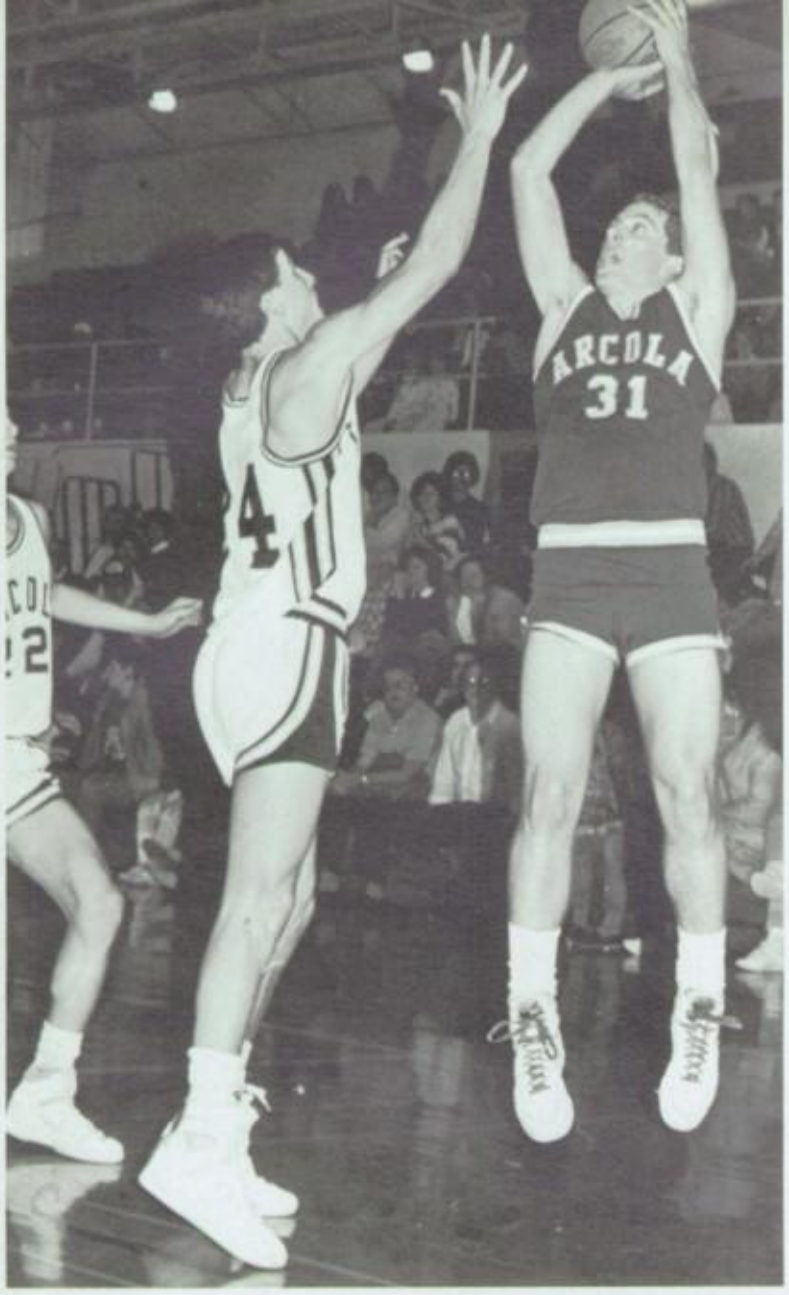
Pictured above are the football award winners. Front Row, Left to Right: Chad Hopkins — MVP, and Honorable Mention offensive, Cory VanDeveer — Sportsmanship Award, Brett Keller — Honorable Mention offensive, and Most Improved Player. Back Row, Left to Right: Shannon Gordon — All-Conference defensive, Defense Award, Kevin Bushu — Outstanding Lineman Award, 1st Team guard, Champaign News Gazette All-Area Team, Mattoon Journal Gazette Best of the Rest, and All-Conference defense and offense, Jerry Beals — All-Conference offensive and defensive. Other award winners were Brian Moore — All-Conference offensive, Chet Melton — All-Conference offensive. Below shows the spirit of Arcola High School and all of the pride we have for our football team. Even though the season wasn't a great one, all of the fans were proud of the players and what they did. Everyone is anxiously awaiting next season.



Below — THE JUNIOR VARSITY SQUAD — From L to R, Front Row: Martin Wheeler, Barry Logan, Chris Davis, Curt Schroeder, Chad Graves, Brett Keller, Rajen Balvant, Trent Gibson. Second Row: Coach Strange, Cainin Willison — mgr., Jason Yoder, Chad Melton, Jason Devore, Jason Butler, Mike Patridge, Jason Goad, Jeff Dunn, Coach Alexander. Third Row: Mike Smith, Robert Strange, Nathan Roberts, Mark Beachy, Kent Warfel, Clayton Chumbly, Alan Hershberger, Shawn Lee. Back Row: Coach Marks, Bill Mathias, Kenneth Henson, Ryan Brewer, Jimmy Jarvis, Chris Monahan, Paul Sisk, Chris Good, Ty Downing — mgr.

Arcola Junior Varsity Football Team



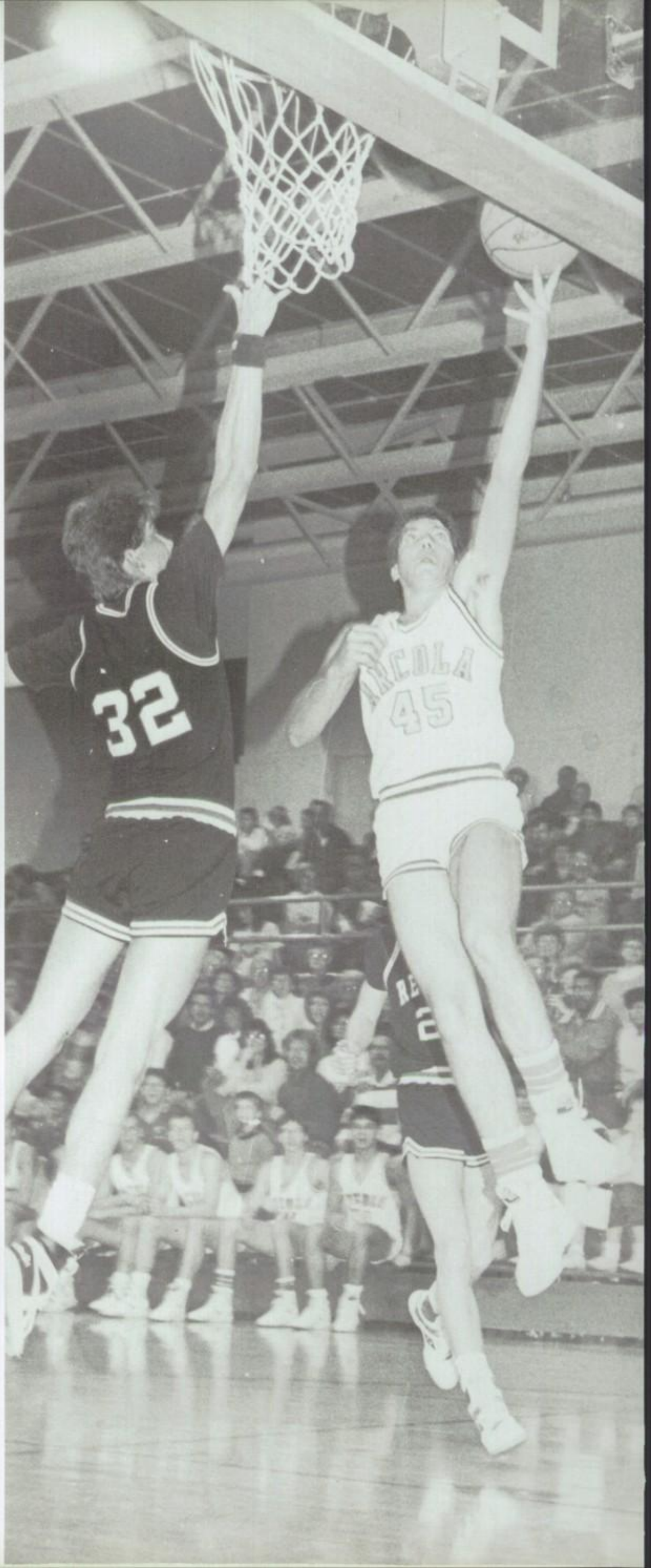


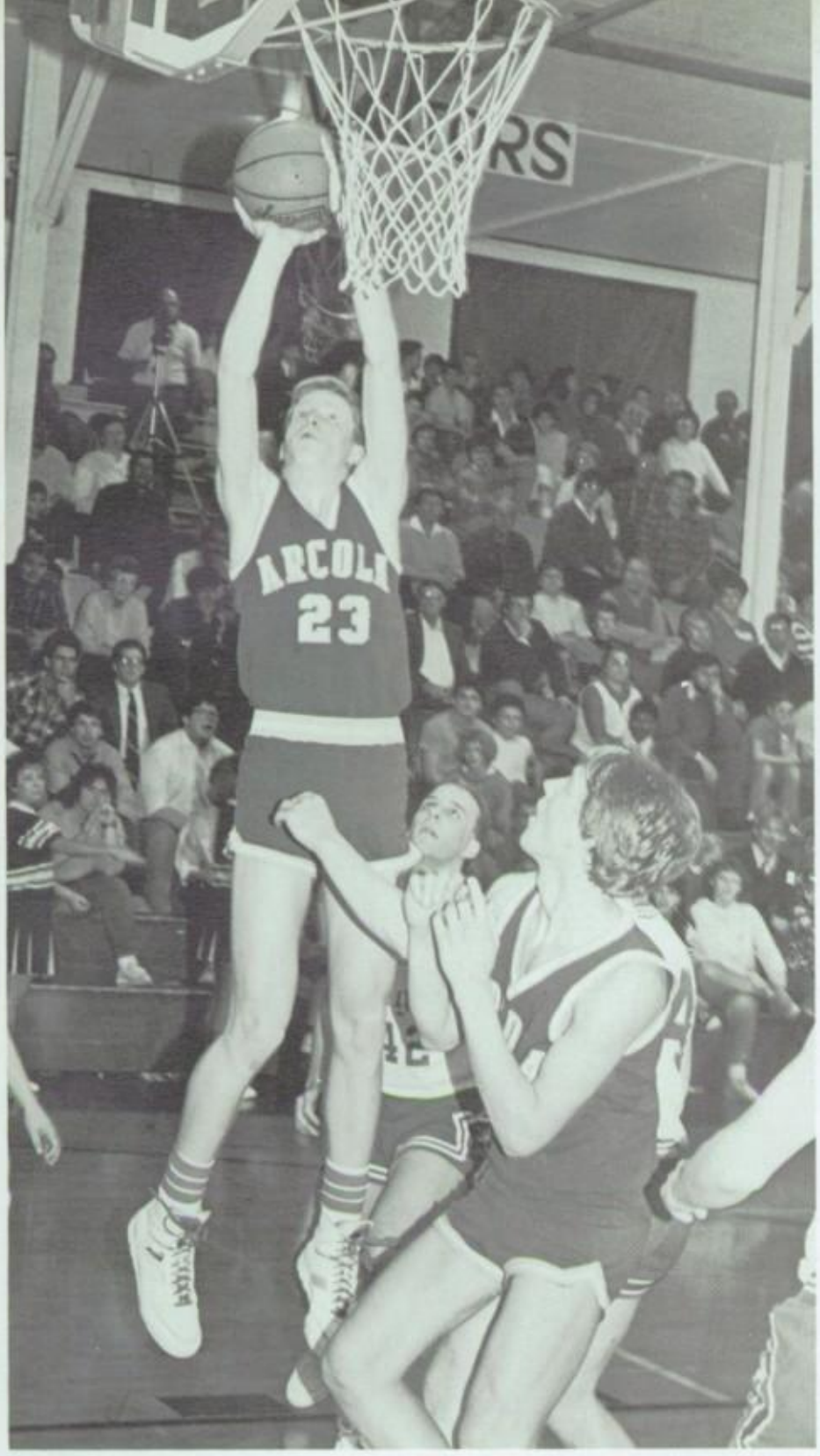
SPIRIT ELEVATES AS BASKETBALL APPROACHES

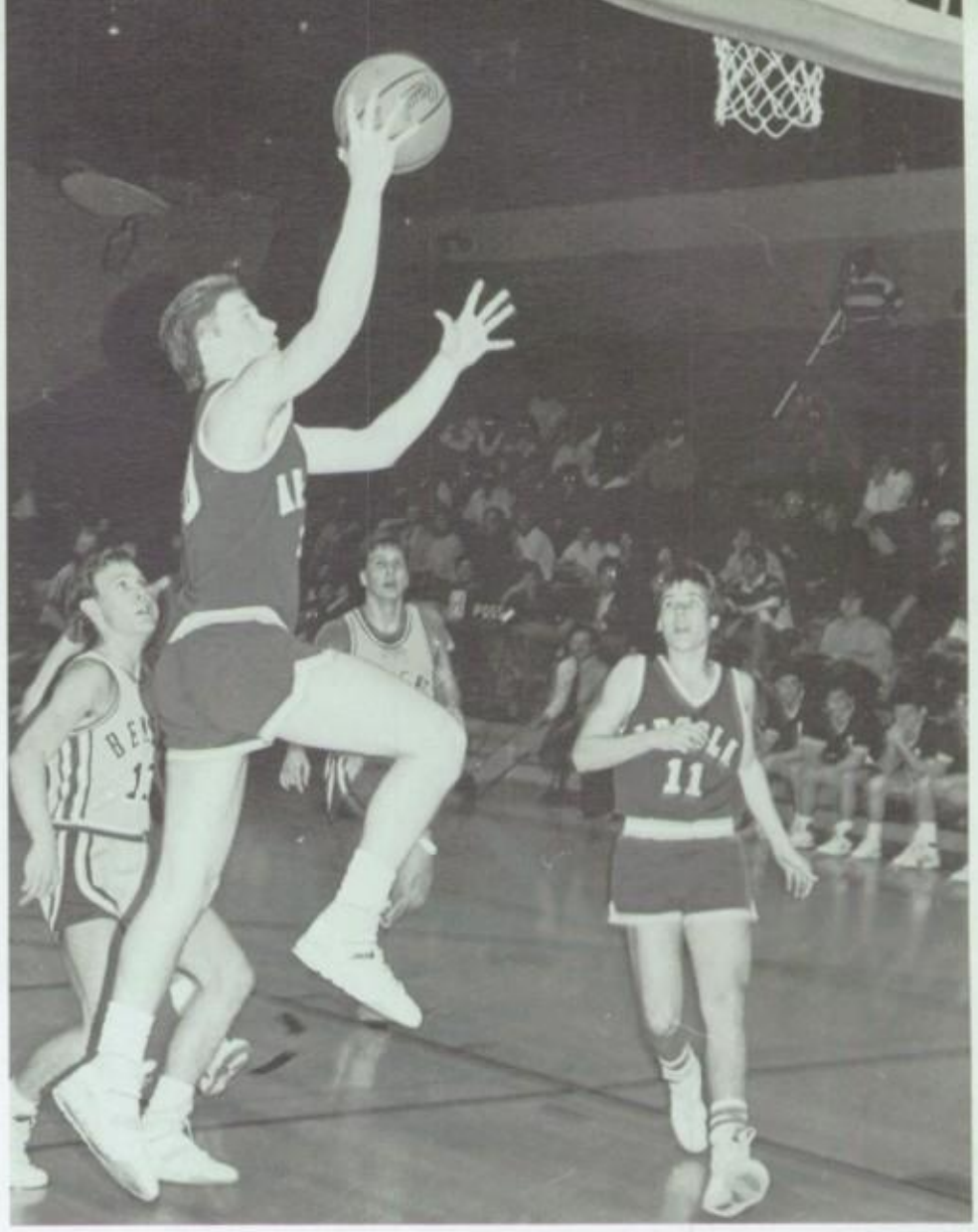
The Riders enjoyed a successful season although the record doesn't reflect it. This year's squad was talented, yet inexperienced on the bench. This proved to be a problem as the year went on. Coach Haskett had many very trying moments attempting to create a winning combination. Even though the team was struggling the fans rose to the occasion. With the help of increased crowds, noise, and pom-pons the Riders got on track during the LOVC tournament and took third place. This was probably the highlight of the season. The other plus to the season was the varsity experience gained by the underclassman players. Due to the talent and experience of the younger players next year could be very rewarding for our dedicated Coach Haskett.

Above — The Riders after their victory in the third place game.

Above is our dedicated coach, Lou Haskett. For the past four years, he has worked hard to improve the boy's program. To the right is senior Doug Helmuth, soaring for an easy two. Below is promising sophomore Chad Graves.

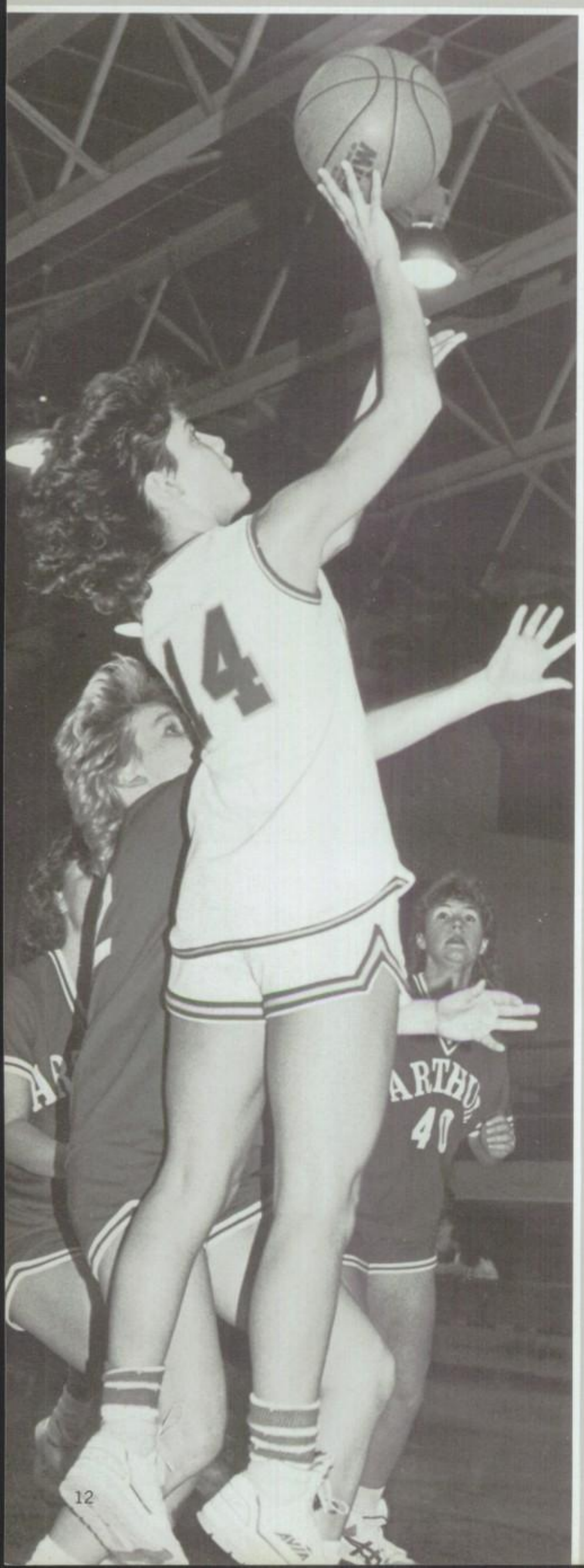


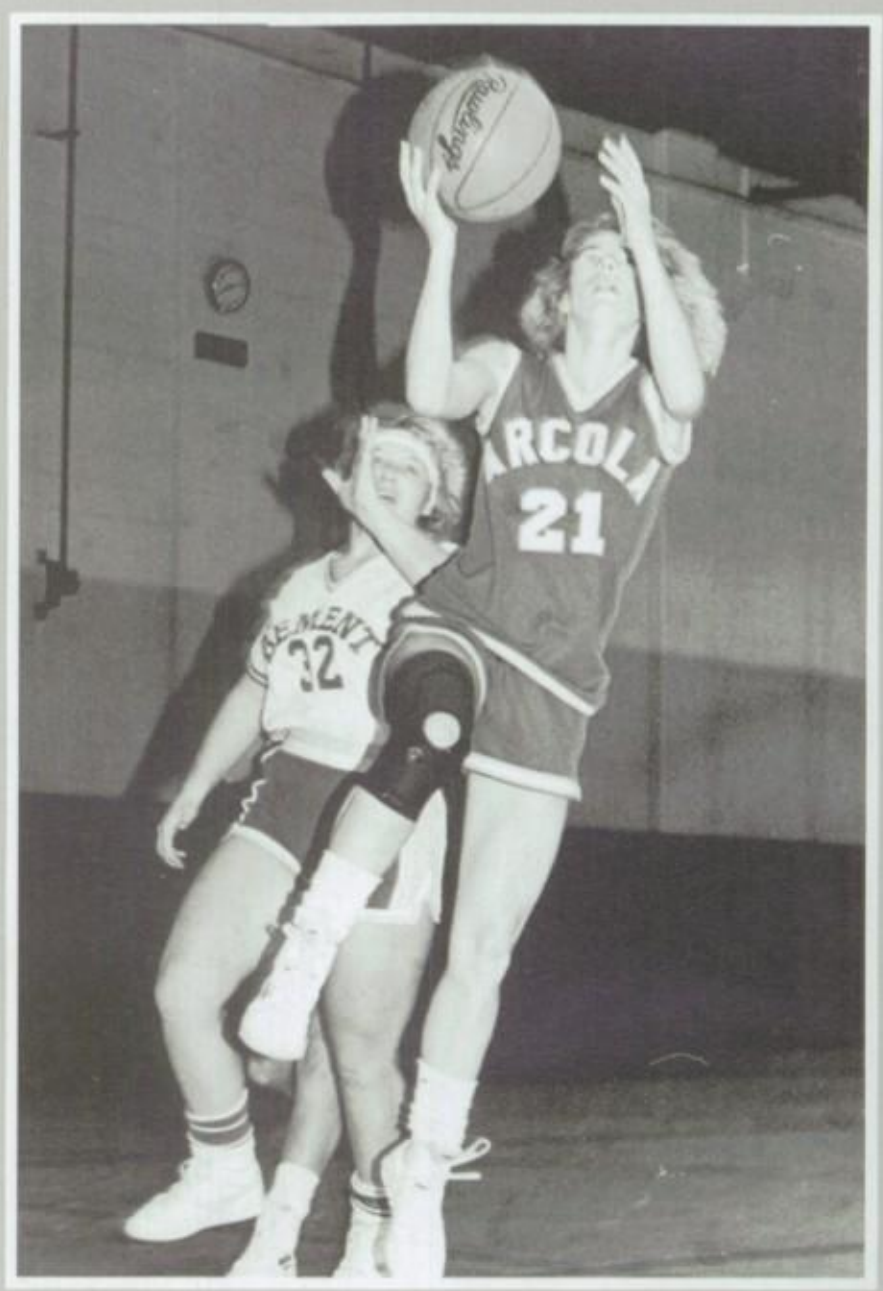




Below is the junior varsity team. Members are Left to Right, Front Row: Rajen Balvant, Chad Melton, Jason Yoder, Billy Mathias, Dan Monahan, and Nathan Roberts. Back Row, Left to Right: Jason Butler, Chris Monahan, Ron Gilliland, Jason Devore, Matt Monahan, Jerry Beals, Mike Patridge, Heath Baumann, Brett Keller. Their coach is Mike Lindenmeyer.

AFTER GETTING OFF TO A SLOW START.....

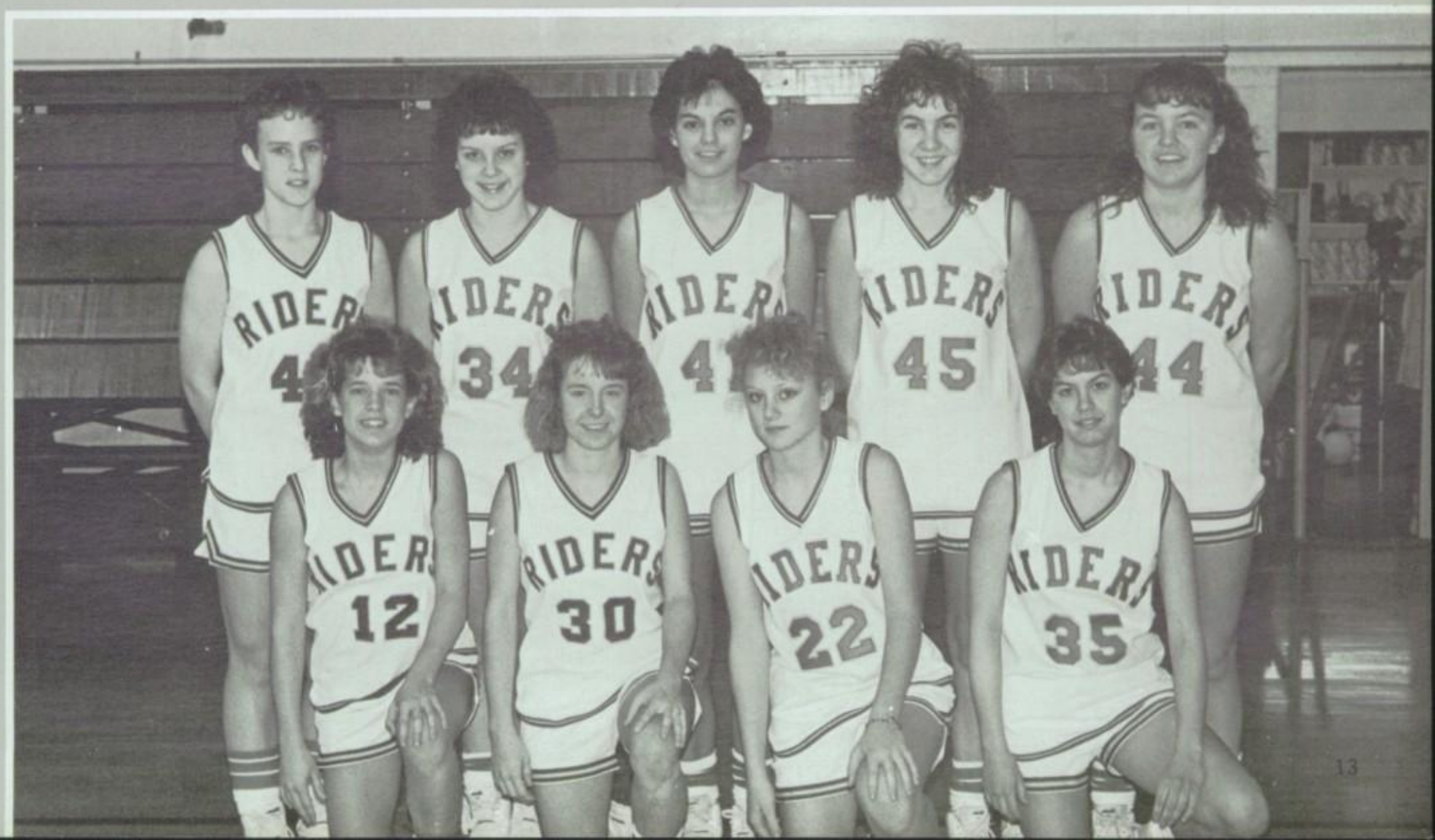


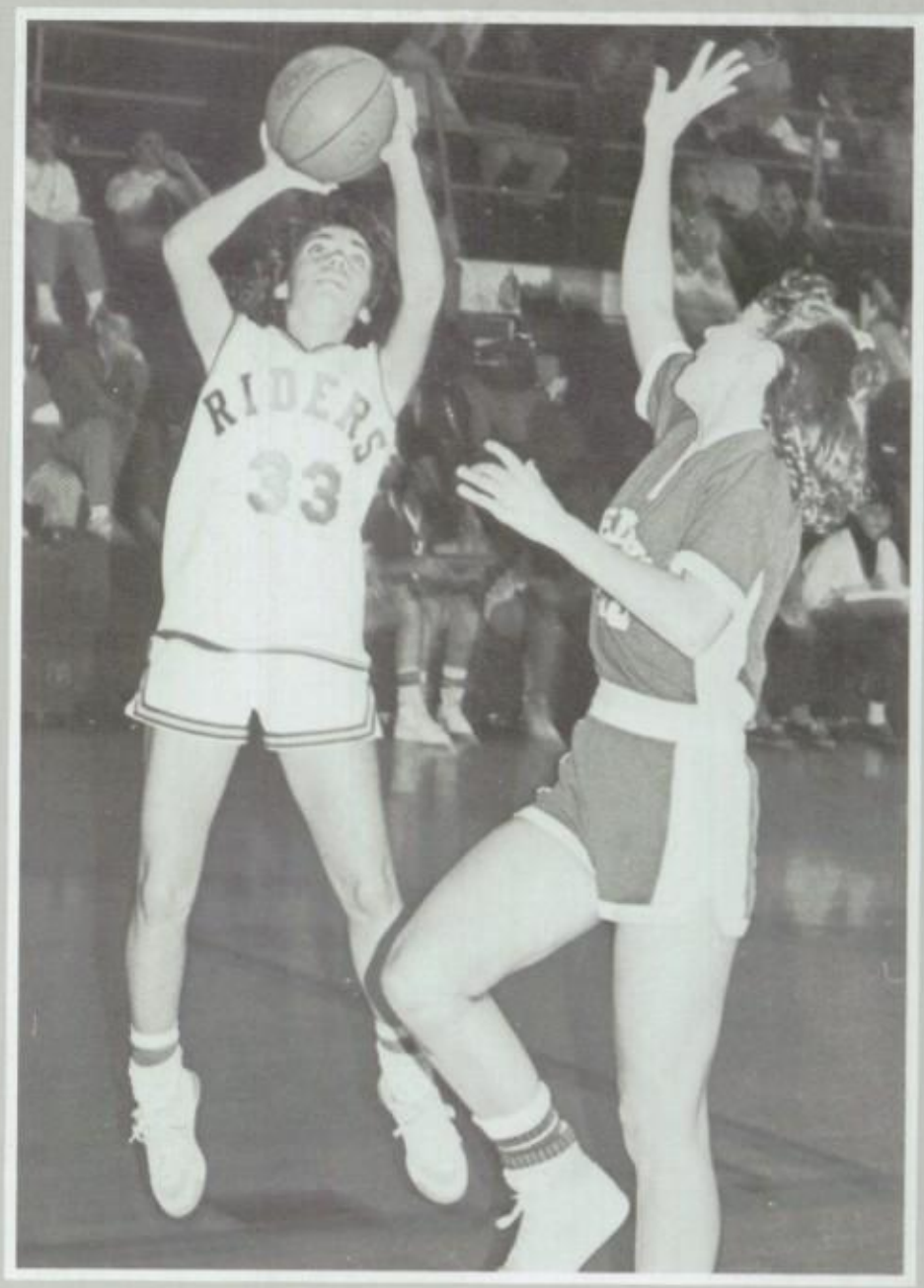


THE LADY RIDERS' SPIRIT IS SEEN

The Varsity team got off to one of its worst starts ever in the history of girls basketball at Arcola. After five games, they had only won one game. The season was marred by a lot of injuries and illnesses to key players. It seemed as if every night they played, it was with a different starting line-up because of these problems. They did somehow start to gel by mid-December and by Dec. 22, they were back on the winning track with a record of 5-4. Over Christmas, the Lady Riders competed in the Mattoon Tournament. Along with Arcola were the teams from Tolono, Decatur MacArthur, and Mattoon. The Lady Riders managed to bring home the second place trophy. Another 2nd place was won by Arcola in the LOVC Tournament. The Lady Riders lost to a very good Tuscola Warrior Team by 3 points. The Lady Riders showed a lot of determination in the contest as they came back to make it a very close game in the second half after being down by 12 points at halftime. Below is the J.V. Team, Front Row, Left to Right: Jenny Furlong, Tisha Clark, Grace Eadie, and Darla Biggs. Back Row, Left to Right: Kendall Hohlbauch, Allison Bushu, Katrina Hall, Marcy Monahan, and Jami Jones.

Above is Erin Monahan, a valuable 4-year player, driving around a Mattoon player. On the far page, to the far left is Jodi Henderson demonstrating a proper lay-up. On top is Leann Pool, the Most Valuable Player, doing what she does best. Below Leann is Coach Stiff, smiling as she makes out a schedule for practice.

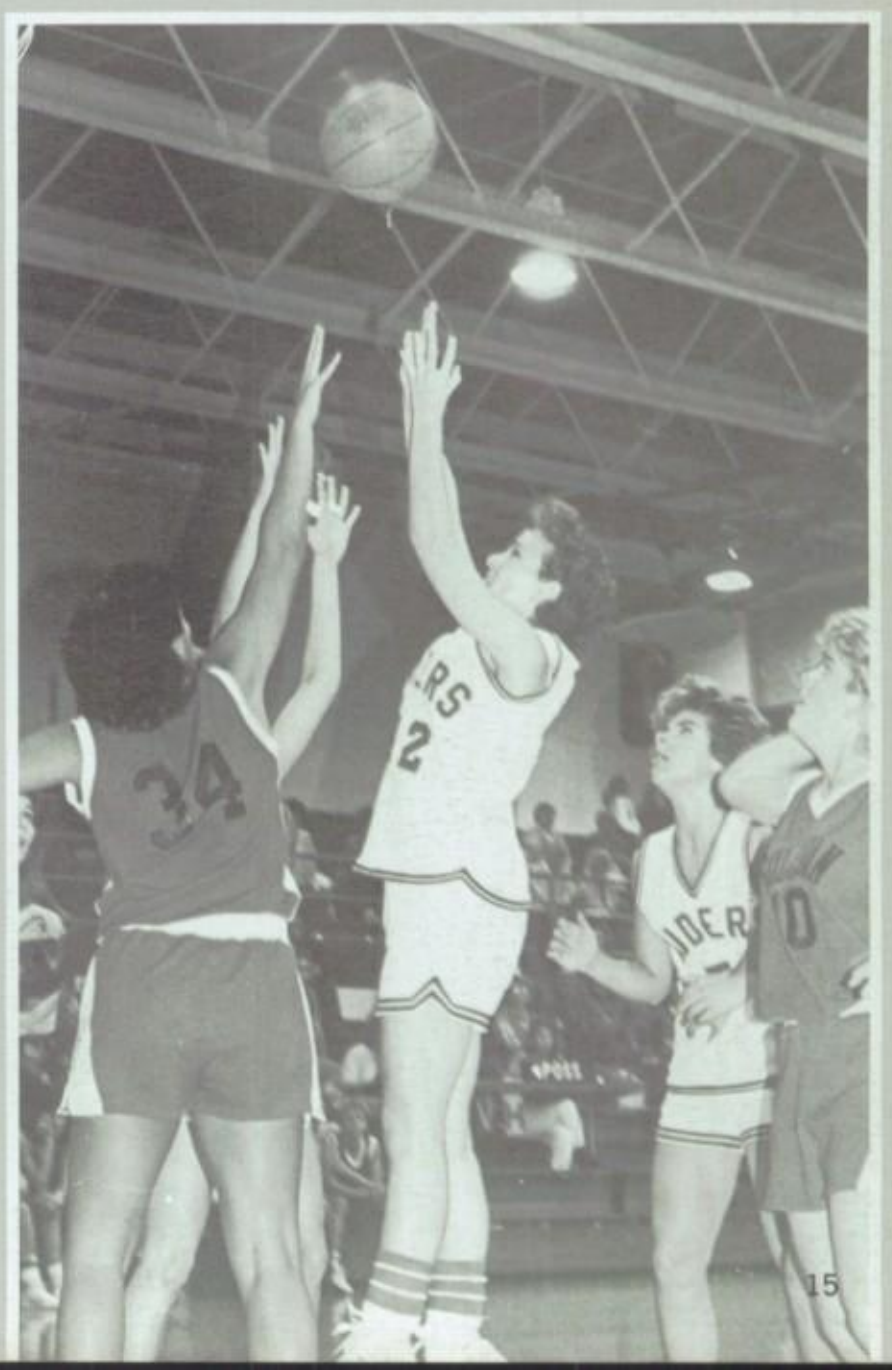




GIRLS
BASKETBALL
CLASS A

19-8

To the left is the Varsity team displaying their Regional Trophy: Nicki Nacke, Leann Pool, Erin Monahan, Kendall Hohlbauch, Stephanie Shrader, and Tiffany Pollings. Back Row, Left to Right: Jenny Furlong, Marcy Monahan, Katrina Hall, Sabrina England, Laura Moore, and Jodi Henderson. On the far page, top corner is Senior Player Sabrina England. Next to her is another Senior Player, Laura Moore. Above is Freshman starter Stephanie Shrader. Above to the right is Sophomore starter Nicki Nacke. To the right is Junior Kendall Hohlbauch. After getting off to a very slow start, the Lady Riders proved worthy. They ended up with a 19-8 record as shown above. Arcola's conference record was 11-3, giving them a 2nd place finish in the conference. Heading into the Sullivan Regional, the Lady Riders were seeded first. They won the regional with a win over Sullivan, 48-38. The Lady Riders lost in the Cerro Gordo Sectional to a very tall Warrensburg-Latham team, 60-45. Instead of turning into a disaster due to the early problems that they faced, the Lady Riders demonstrated that hard work, determination, and a positive mental attitude are the key ingredients to the success of Lady Rider Basketball year after year.



STUDENTS WERE ASKED . . . "WHAT DOES SPIRIT MEAN TO YOU?"

Enthusiasm to learn and participate in school activities and education. School spirit means loving your school wherever you are. Representing it at all times.

Holley Kappas

Spirit is walking around school smiling and caring about what goes on in your school life. It also is getting involved and giving your share.

Cory VanDeveer

Spirit is when everyone participates in the games and sharing good times with friends. Having great friends to talk to when you're down or even when you're happy.

Jamie Dowler

Spirit to me is feeling good and having a lot to do with your school. Just coming to school every day and showing a little respect toward your school. School spirit is getting along with everyone and making new friends. Also cheering everyone on in whatever they do.

Tammie Embry

School spirit is being supportive of your school. Yet, school spirit is the pep added to each day at school. It's the pride of belonging to your school and the eagerness to learn and to be involved.

Roberta Towle

To me school spirit is representing your school in athletics as well as being an enthusiastic fan. Getting involved in clubs and class work. The flair of the faculty and students.

Erin Monahan

To me school spirit is knowing that you belong and are accepted no matter what race or religion. It's being there at all games and activities supporting the Riders all the way. It's also being loyal and considerate to your peers and your school.

Ryan Brewer

School spirit to us is accepting everyone for who they are and accepting their bad qualities as well as their good. It is being ourselves, not imitating someone else.

Tammy Fox and Donna Daniels

Spirit means the class of "90" winning the spirit stick at every pep assembly.

Nicki Nacke

School spirit is cheering for the team with the best looking guys.

Marcy Monahan

School spirit is winning the spirit stick and getting involved in sports as well as being an active fan. Spirit also means doing your homework or at least trying to. Just wearing our school colors shows that you're supporting A.H.S.

Kent Warfel

School spirit is when you get wild and crazy before a football game.

Kyle Wingler

Spirit means having the ability to achieve a goal no matter how hard the task.

Kerri Jo Arrol

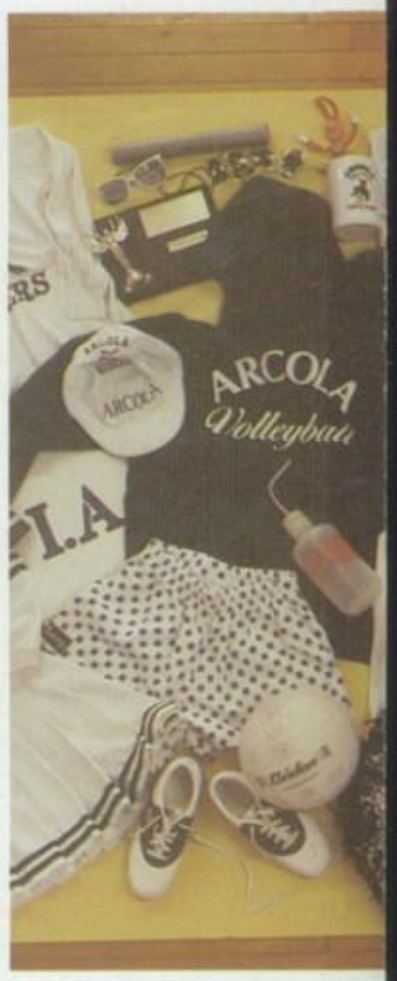
impressive

SPIRIT

What would a school be without SPIRIT . . . Arcola High may not have much else but, the kids do have plenty of impressive spirit to share, and as a result everyday life stays alive throughout the year for many individuals.

Many students displayed spirit when it came to pumping iron and needed no motivation to "shoot for" a 42 inch chest (considered desirable by the male gender, while firm muscles were envied by girls). Not everyone could be tied to actual exercising but an element of fun and spirit was required.

AHS MOVES ON



Top Photo — right to left: Sophomore art student Jennifer Booker, Senior Lisa Gobel relaxes amid Spirit Stuff, LeAnn Pool and Shandon Smith sport look-a-like sweaters. Bottom Photo — Ron Gilliland and Erin Monahan show spirit for their school, Mrs. Shaffer is overwhelmed by student concern and National Honor Society students pose to show spirit for academics.

SPIRIT never Fades

Standing out in a crowd meant being the best, and perfection required a thirst for SPIRIT. New goals were set as standards rose and sacrifices were often necessary to accomodate new interests. These interests were not just in sports but also in academics.

Spirit and Pride brought about by accomplishments prompted individuals to go the extra mile as potential turned into reality. Throughout the year students enjoyed contests in various areas . . . this gave them something to look forward to with keen anticipation.

Students were faced with the same traditional activities planned for the year but, many kids faced these activities with creative ideas, no matter what area they were working in. The pressure was on as the year progressed with many teachers providing inspiration.

SPIRIT was something that students did not have to develop . . . it came naturally.

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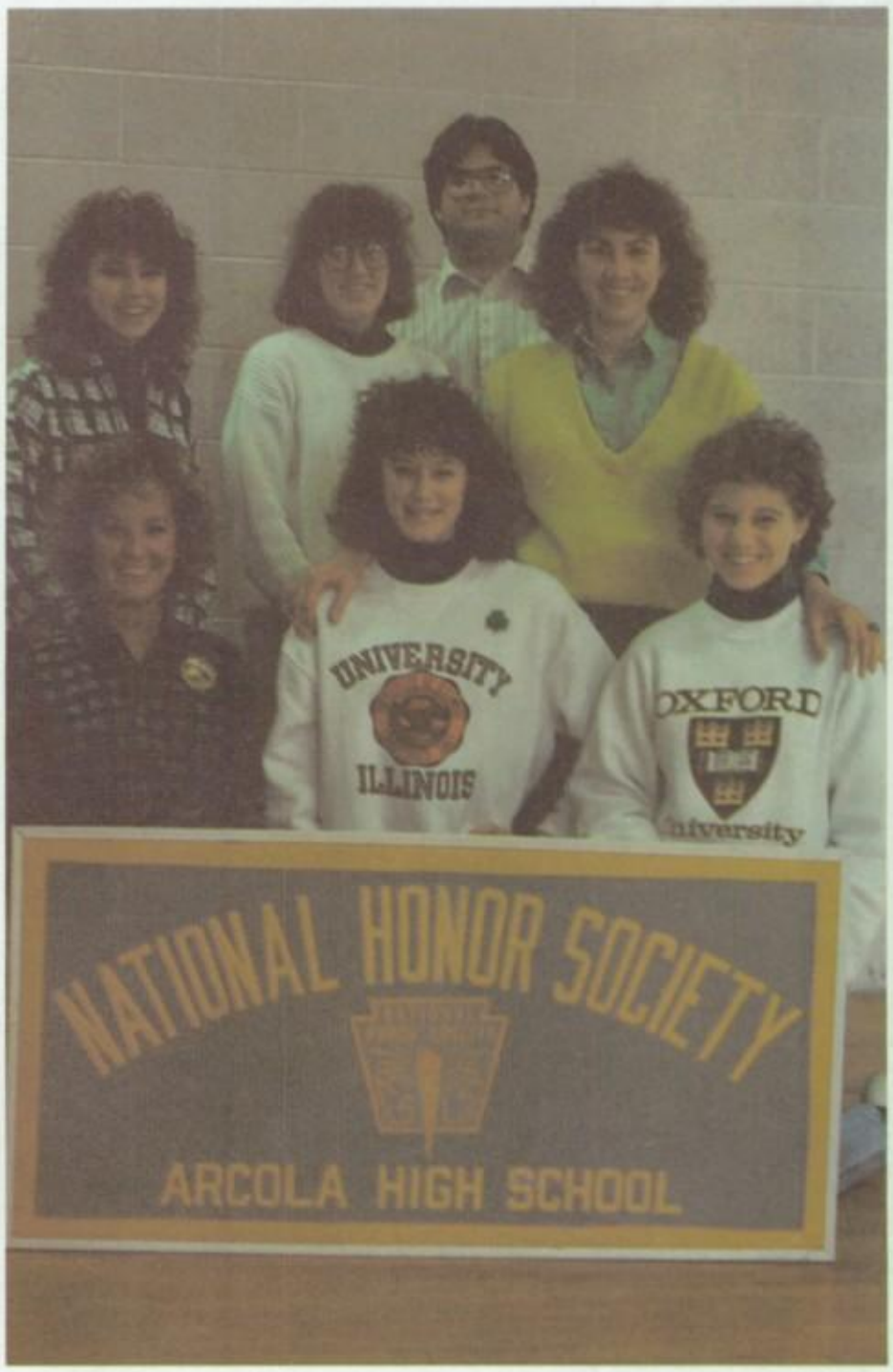
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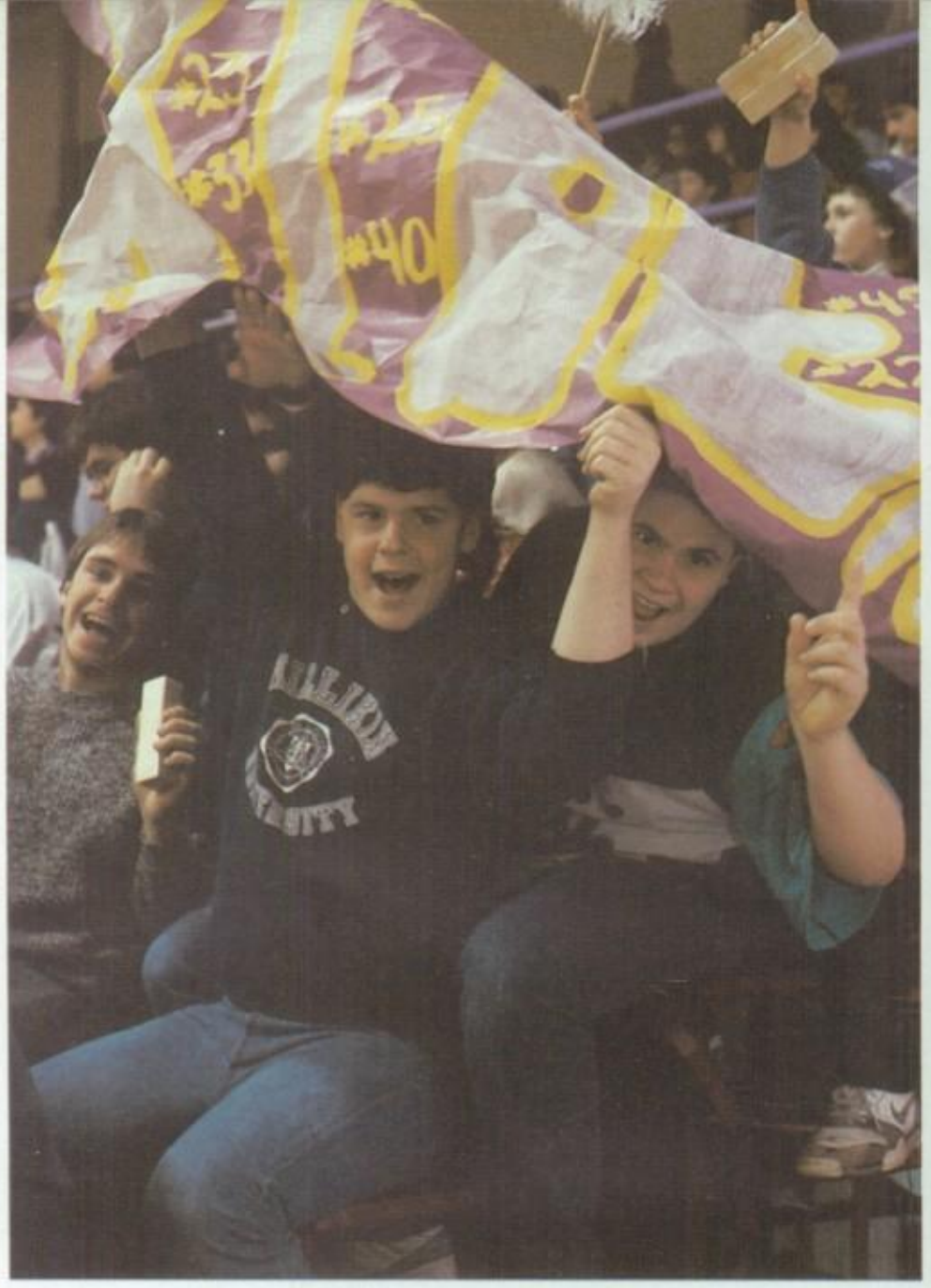
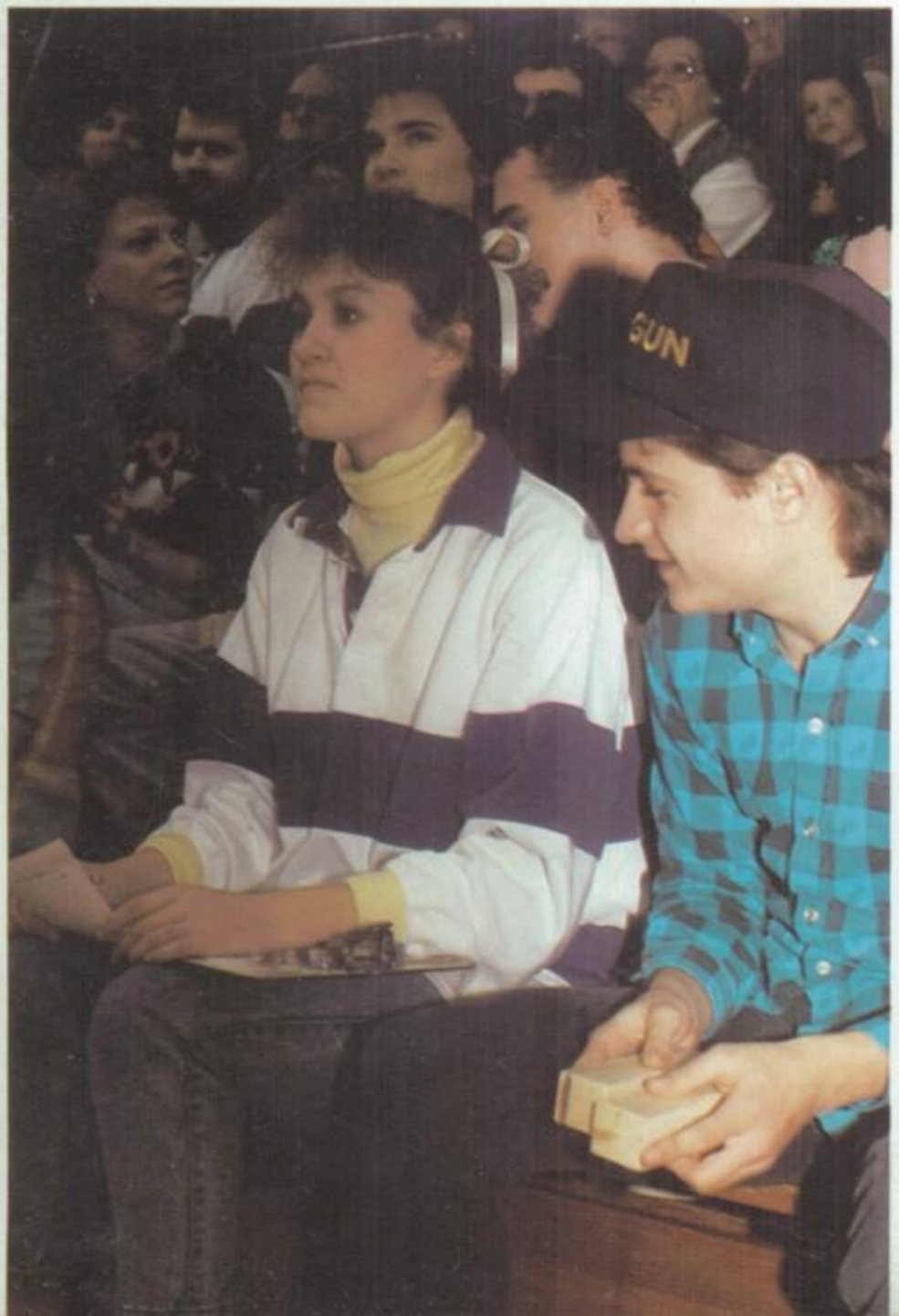


Colorful Memories of SPIRIT

Above left — Jenny Furlong poses in her Volleyball sweat shirt along with other spirited AHS students pictured.

Enthusiastic Rider Fans support AHS basketball.

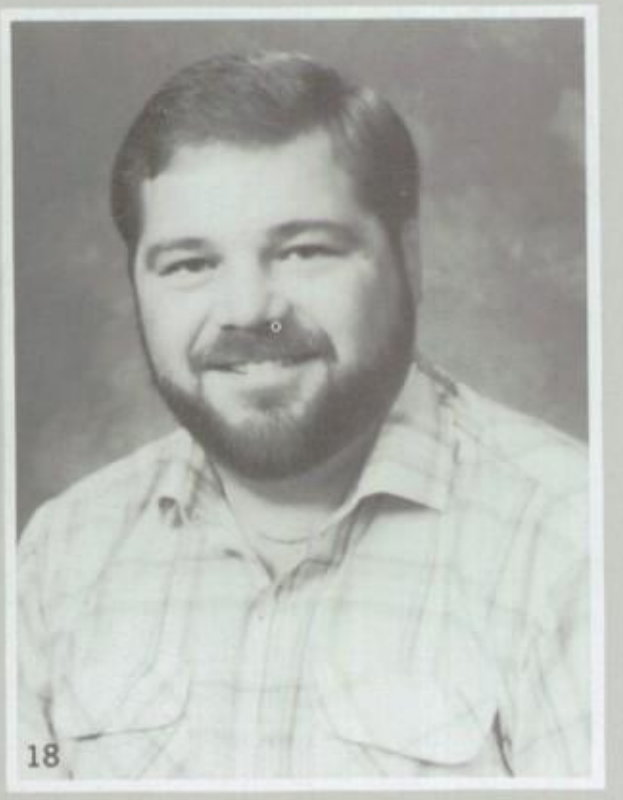


ORGANIZATIONS AND CLUBS

STUDENTS ENJOY A FULFILLING YEAR IN BAND

Above — The Marching Band poses for the yearbook photographer. Below — Jenni Vyverberg is captured while playing her instrument during halftime at a football game.

Pictured Below — Band Director Doug McCausland.



Feb. 18 Winter Concert
March 5 Solo and Ensemble Contest
April 12 L.O.V.C. Band Festival

April 21 Spring Concert
April 23 IHSA Concert
May 22 Ice Cream Concert

THE ACTIVE SIDE OF AHS

Pictured Above — First Row: Angie Thorton, Kelli Murphy, Robin Schrock. Second Row: Debbie Lash, Kim Douthitt, Holley Kappes. Third Row: Michelle Murphy, Sponsor — Cathy Shonkweiler, Kim Allen.

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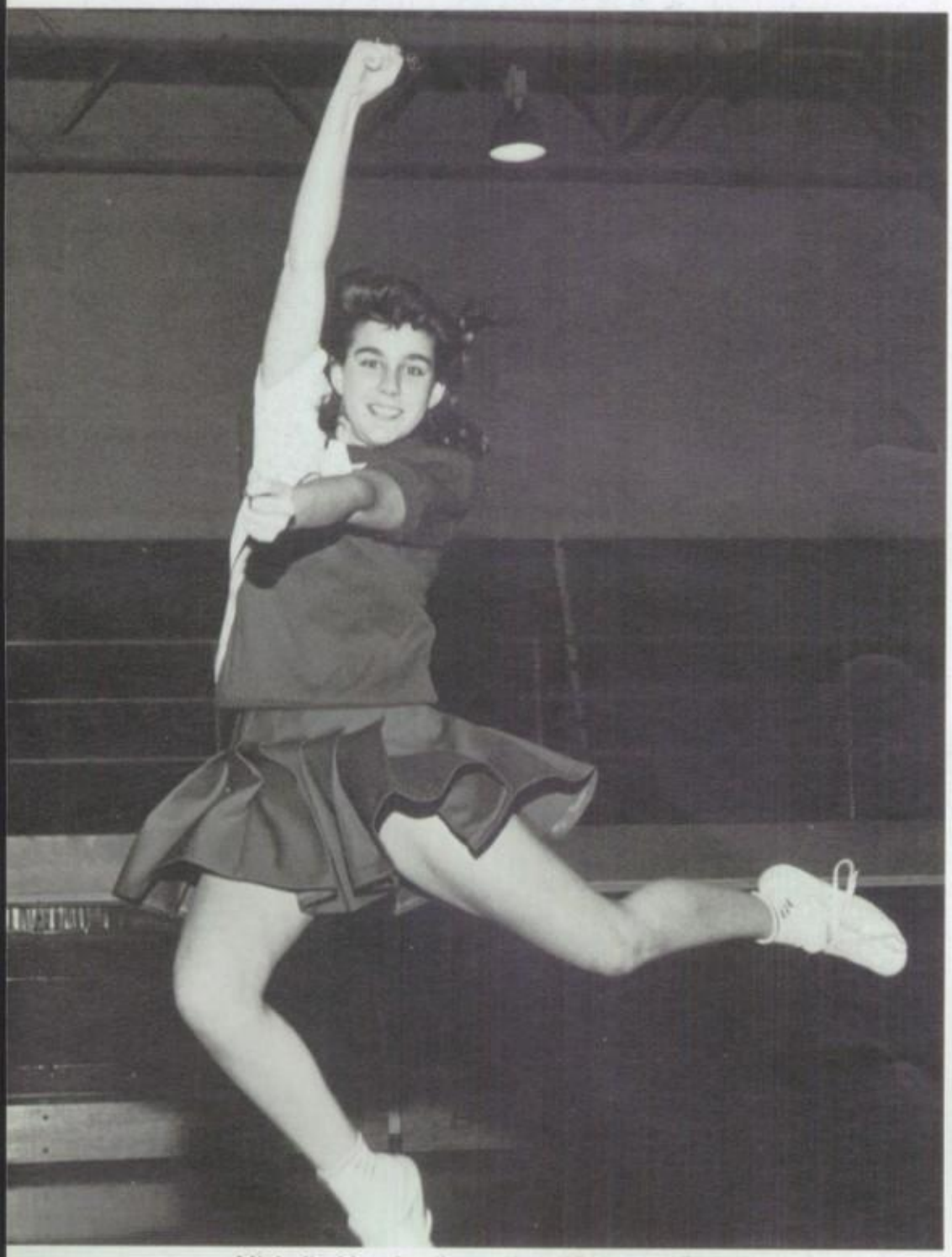


Michelle Murphy shows that "Riderette Style."

Flags add flash to the performance.

Kim Douthitt

THE RIDERETTES SPARK EXCITEMENT

Routine action adds to the spirit that students feel as well as the players and the girls were always prepared to do their best.

Holley Kappess had lots of energy to give to each routine and always showed enthusiasm.

Kin Allen swings with ease.

RIDERETTES

HAVE DEDICATION IN A SPONSOR . . . GOOD LUCK MISS SHONKWEILER

Above — Michelle Murphy works with her flag. Below — Kelli Murphy concentrates.

 Miss Shonkweiler — Riderette Sponsor spent many hours working with the girls . . . we will miss her.

Above — Robin Schrock shows all of the right moves. Below — Angie Thornton and Debbie Lash are captured in the middle of a routine.

Lisa Goble knows what *spirit* is all about . . . she was an outstanding cheerleader for the Riders.

SENIORS — L-R: Kerri Arrol, Lisa Fishel.

BEING ON THE BRIGHT

Jayne smiles at yearbookphotographer.

Mindy Switzer shows

Goble, Jayne Goben, and Amy

Our cheerleaders showed what hard work and dedication can do.

SIDE OF SPIRIT . . .
AHS CHEERLEADERS SHINE

"Rider Style"

The *Art Club* dedicates most of their energy organizing and selling candy for their trip to Chicago to visit art schools and museums.

The club also sponsored "Appreciation Day" honoring either the students or the teachers each year. They also attended an ice skating party.

Sponsor: Darla Sluder.
Pictured Above — Cory Vandeveer, Ryan Brewer, Brian Moore, Chris Davis, Julie Richardson, Sharon Jones, Leigh Anne Sphar, K. D. Henson, Kevin Bushu, Jeremy Davis, Eric Patridge, Jamie Dowler, Merideth Overstreet, Amy Suding, Roberta Towle, Vanessa Reese, Kent Warfel, Heath Baumann, Tammy Fox, Chris Good, Kathy Alexander, Lupe Gonzalez, Donna Daniels, Holley Kappes, Shandon Smith, Leann Pool, Tammy Embry, Ron Gilliland, David Schrock, Shawn Durbin, Chon Gonzalez, Hollie Eadie, Sandra Butler, Tammy Good, Jeff Dunne, Stacey Carlberg, Robert Strange, and Taisha Bright. Not Pictured: Erin Monahan, Tim Stanton, Greg Little, Jennifer Booker, Joe Edwards, and Bill Miller.

The *Photo Club* was "new" this year so it took the members and sponsors time to get events organized. Some students took advantage of the nice Fall weather and photographed subject matter around the school. During the "Spring thaw," the club attended a Photo Day dedicated to photographing new matter.

Several of the Fall photographs were entered in a National Scholastic Art Awards contest. The local judging was held at Robeson's Department Store in Champaign. Several photographs from our school won awards and were displayed for the viewing public. Leigh Anne Sphar had two photographs that were sent to New York for National Judging. The sponsors are hopeful that next year more photography events can be planned for club members to participate and enjoy.

Sponsors — Darla Sluder and Mike Nave
Pictured Above — Cory Vandeveer, Ryan Brewer, Jeremy Davis, Erin Monahan, Ron Gilliland, Kevin Bushu, Brian Moore, Vanessa Reese, Holley Kappes, Leigh Anne Sphar, Chris Good, K. D. Henson, Kathy Alexander, Angie Downing, Lisa Goble, Roberta Towle, Sharon Kleibocker, David Schrock, Merideth Overstreet, Hollie Eadie, Taisha Bright, and Jeff Dunne. Not Pictured Are: Jennifer Booker and Jeremy Edwards.

Pictured Above — Leigh Anne Sphar, Angie Downing, Laura Moore, Amy Suding, Tammy Good, Tammy Embry, Becky Smith, Grace Eadie, Christi Davis, Tishi Romine, Julie Good, Maria Leal, Julie Richardson, Alicia Leal, Taisha Bright, and Adrianna Herrerra. Not Pictured: Tammy Fox. Sponsor: Kathy Lister.

FHA members were very busy during the school year trying to earn money for events. They had many good ideas to put to the test of money makers. On Valentine's Day they sold carnations of different colors to the student body. Many students as well as faculty members purchased the carnations for friends and family. The girls quickly got busy selling candy for another money maker. They found that candy sold very well to the students at school. Members also sold mums during the Homecoming season to anyone interested. The mums were delivered at school which saved students and faculty time in shopping at the Florist. FHA president had to assume more responsibility when their sponsor Mrs. Lister took a maternity leave from school. But, things kept running smoothly.

Back Row: Mark Rupard, Shaine Cooley, David Miller, and Codey Richey. Front Row: Shawn Lee, Trent Gibson, Shawn Durbin, Robert Strange, and Mark Beachy. Not Pictured: Bill Miller, Jade Embry, and Eric Fultz. Sponsor: Jim Strange.

The Industrial Arts Club had a busy year. They sold popcorn at football and basketball games, had activity night for parents in the Spring, and exhibited all I. A. projects at the end of the year. The club also repaired mowers and built small sheds for individuals. Mr. Strange hopes to include more events for the club to sponsor. He worked very hard during the year to improve club events and did a great job.

"Promoting Arcola High School Library" is the main function of the Library Club. They were busy selling Argus Posters as a fund raiser and had fun on a Video field trip to the Library of Congress. They also hosted a Christmas luncheon and an International Dinner with AFS and Spanish Club. Finally, they enjoyed a field to Springfield to visit the legislature and the Illinois State Library.

Library Club Members Pictured: Leigh Ann Sphar, Becky Smith, Jennifer Clark, Mark Clark, Sabrina England, Nikki Mathias, Rhonda Strange, Lisa Goble, Colleen Monahan, Heath Baumann, Miss Floyd — Sponsor.

Spanish Club had yet another great year. They attended the Copacabana at the U of I for a Latin American dance program. Spanish Club also sold tacos as well as Mexican pastries and candies. Spanish Club also co-sponsored the International Dinner.

Spanish Club Members Pictured: Kerri Arrol, Kevin Bushu, Eric Butler, Jason Butler, Jennifer Clark, Amy Crouse, Chris Davis, Angie Downing, Jennie Edwards, Allison Fishel, Amy Fishel, Jayne Goben, Lisa Goble, Shannon Gordon, Matt Henson, Maria Leal, Barry Logan, Nikki Mathias, Stacey Melton, Colleen Monahan, Marcy Monahan, Matt Monahan, Brian Moore, Laura Moore, Nicki Nacke, Annita Newton, Jason Rankin, Tiffany Rollings, Leigh Anne Sphar, Jami Steproe, Nancy Strange, Rhonda Strange, Mindy Switzer, Angie Thornton, Roberta Towle, Jennifer Vyverberg, Katrina Winch, Mrs. McKittrick — Sponsor.

AFS started its year with Thomas Zumbiehl, a foreign exchange student from France. AFS had a birthday party for him at Nicki Nacke's home. AFS also hosted students from John Hersey High School and in turn twelve students from Arcola visited their school as well. Twelve other AFSers traveled to Brookfield to get a taste of Wisconsin. Along with Spanish and Library Club, AFS took part in the international dinner which turned out to be a big success.

Michele Anderson, Theresa Ard, Kerri Arrol, Darla Biggs, Jennifer Booker, Ryan Brewer, Taisha Bright, Allison Bushu, Kevin Bushu, Eric Butler, Jennifer Clark, Mark Clark, Tisha Clark, Amy Crouse, Christi Davis, Angie Downing, Jennie Edwards, Roger England, Kendra Eskridge, Allison Fishel, Amy Fishel, Jenny Furlong, Ron Gilliland, Jayne Goben, Lisa Goble, Shannon Gordon, Katrina Hall, Jodi Henderson, Kendall Hohlbauch, Chad Hopkins, Kandi Loy, Heather Madlem, Nikki Mathias, Stacey Melton, Colleen Monahan, Dan Monahan, Erin Monahan, Marcy Monahan, Luara Moore, Nicki Nacke, Tammy Nieman, Merideth Overstreet, Jason Rankin, Bobbi Reece, Vanessa Reese, Tiffany Rollings, Tisha Romine, Stephanie Shrader, Rena Smith, Leigh Anne Sphar, Jami Steproe, Nancy Strange, Rhonda Strange, Susan Strange, Amy Suding, Mindy Switzer, Angie Thornton, Roberta Towle, Cory VanDeveer, Jennifer Vyverberg, Craig Widder, Paige Widder, Monica Willison, Thomas Zumbiehl.

National Honor Society was a well organized group of leaders. One of their important contributions was the canned food drive for the needy families of Arcola. They sponsored a contest to see which class could bring the most cans of food to school . . . it worked over 700 cans of food it the doors of Arcola High. Mrs. Lockett was very dedicated to this organization, too.

NHS Members Pictured: Holly Eadie, Eric Butler, Laura Moore, Kevin Bushu, Nancy Strange, Rhonda Strange, Amy Fishel, Jenni Vyverberg, Lisa Goble, Erin Monahan, Kerri Arrol, Vanessa Reese, Jason Rankin, Shannon Gordon, Chad Hopkins, Mrs. Lockett — Sponsor.

A Student Guide to

SPIRIT THROUGH SONG

SEPT. 16
DOUGLAS CO. RETIRED TEACHERS

NOV. 7
AUDITIONS FOR ALL-STATE & JUNIOR CHORUS (DIST. V)
PRE-REHEARSAL

NOV. 10
FALL CHORAL CONCERT

NOV. 19
LOVC CHORAL FESTIVAL

NOV. 21
DISTRICT V FESTIVAL AT E.I.V.

NOV. 25
COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING SERVICE

DEC. 2
ARCOLA WOMANS CLUB

DEC. 6
ARCOLA
MUSIC CLUB

DEC. 13
ANNUAL WINTER
CONCERT

JAN. 28-30
ALL-STATE FESTIVAL
AT PEORIA

MAR. 5
SOLO ENSEMBLE
CONCERTS AT
WESTVILLE

MAR. 29
M.I.O.S.M.
CONCERT

MAY 9
ARCOLA MUSIC CLUB

MAY 20
ANNUAL SPRING
CHORAL CONCERT

JUNE 3
GRADUATION

Sponsors of Scholastic Bowl, Miss Morton and Mr. Nave are dedicated teachers willing to give much time and caring to this organization. Also the members take great *pride* in learning and winning. They must spend extra time practicing and preparing for each meet that takes place. Meets are held in different towns in the area.

Scholastic Bowl Members Pictured: Jeremy Davis, Jason Rankin, Rhonda Strange, Vanessa Reese, Eric Butler, Jennie Edwards, Kent Warfel, Jodi Henderson, Nathan Roberts, Toby Sylvester, Jason Yoder, Mr. Nave, Mrs. Morton — Sponsors.

A NOTE FROM THE 1987-88 Torch Staff

With the realization of responsibility as a staff member comes the desire to be the *best*. After lots of brain-storming a theme is born and, the toil begins. Hard work begins only after the conception of workable ideas. Many ideas are tossed around, seemingly vague at the time of conception they soon blossom into an integral part of the TORCH, all reflecting the events of one year.

The Torch is produced by a staff devoted to producing a *quality* yearbook. Our book has won several awards over the past few years because of the hard work and dedication of the team. Many people who have never worked on a yearbook staff do not realize how much time and effort is needed throughout the year. The members begin the year by selling ads to help pay for the cost of the book. This is a very time-consuming job, which requires a lot of book work plus many trips to town in order to catch businessmen in their office.

At last, the time arrives to start layouts. Each page of the yearbook requires a detailed layout, distinctive of the theme's format. Composed words, developed pictures, and styled layouts merge together creating the personality of each individual page. Last year's edition ANOTHER SIDE OF AHS received recognition as an outstanding book and we hope that this book will do the same.

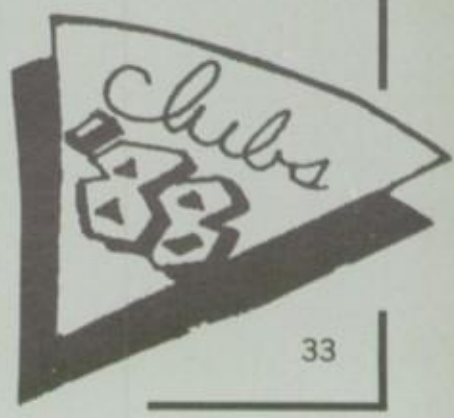
Sponsor: Joyce Thompson. MEMBERS — Dan Monahan, Bobbi Reece, Paige Widder, Jason Butler, Jeremy Davis, Jennie Edwards, Allison Fishel, Holley Kappes, Brett Keller, Nikki Mathias, Stacey Melton, Nicki Nacke, Nathon Roberts, Tiffany Rollings, Kent Warfel, Jason Yoder, Brian Moore, Angie Downing, Kendra Eskridge, Kendall Hohlbach, Kandi Loy, Meredith Overstreet, Roberta Towle, Kevin Bushu, Marsha Clabaugh, Eric Butler, Amy Fishel, Jayne Goben, Julie Good, Shannon Gordon, Leigh Anne Sphar, and Nancy Strange.

Snowball took a retreat to Lake Shelbyville again this year. Students got closer to one another and shared some things never heard before. They also co-sponsored a dance with AFS in the fall.

Sponsor: Julie Rickard. Back Row: Jodi Henderson, Erin Monahan, Ron Gilliland, Kevin Bushu, Craig Widder, and Monica Willison. Front Row: Marcy Monahan, Jason Butler, Mindy Switzer, Jason Yoder, and Amy Fishel.

Student Council is responsible for:
1. Homecoming Spirit Week
2. Homecoming Parade
3. Homecoming Dance
4. Christmas Assembly for the high school

Our money-making project is selling concessions at the football games.



Drama Club was a big success again this year. They sold candy in October and November as their money-making project. Rehearsals for the play entitled "For Her Che-ild's Sake" began in January. Five students attended the Illinois State Theatre Festival at I.S.U. They were Eric Butler, Jayne Goben, Laura Moore, Craig Widder, Matt Monahan, and Mr. and Mrs. Alburtis. Mr. and Mrs. Alburtis also presented a workshop twice at the festival. Their dedication and hard work payed off. They had a big turn out for the play.

Sponsor: Ron Alburtus. MEMBERS — Jayne Goben, Leigh Anne Sphar, Eric Butler, Jason Butler, Jason Yoder, Nathan Roberts, Colleen Monahan, Matt Henson, Mike Nelson, Brandi Meyers, Scott Wingler, Chris Conover, Jennie Edwards, Dan Monahan, Craig Widder, Kandi Loy, Angie Downing, Paige Widder, Matt Monahan, Brian Moore, and Laura Moore. Not Pictured: Robert Strange.

Chess Club this year got together on Thursdays and Fridays throughout the year to play each other in chess games. Sometimes some students were much better than others. Chess Club had planned all year long to have a live chess game but the plans never came to fruitation.

Sponsor: Julie Rickard. MEMBERS — Shannon Gordon, Lisa Goble, Mike Smith, Curt Schroeder, Christi Davis, Amy Fishel, Allison Fishel, Kevin Bushu, Chris Davis, K. D. Henson, Trent Gibson, Angie Downing, Jayne Goben, Troy Sylvester, Annita Newton, Nancy Strange, Sabrina England, Craig Widder, Jennifer Clark, Eric Butler, Toby Sylvester, and Vanessa Reece.

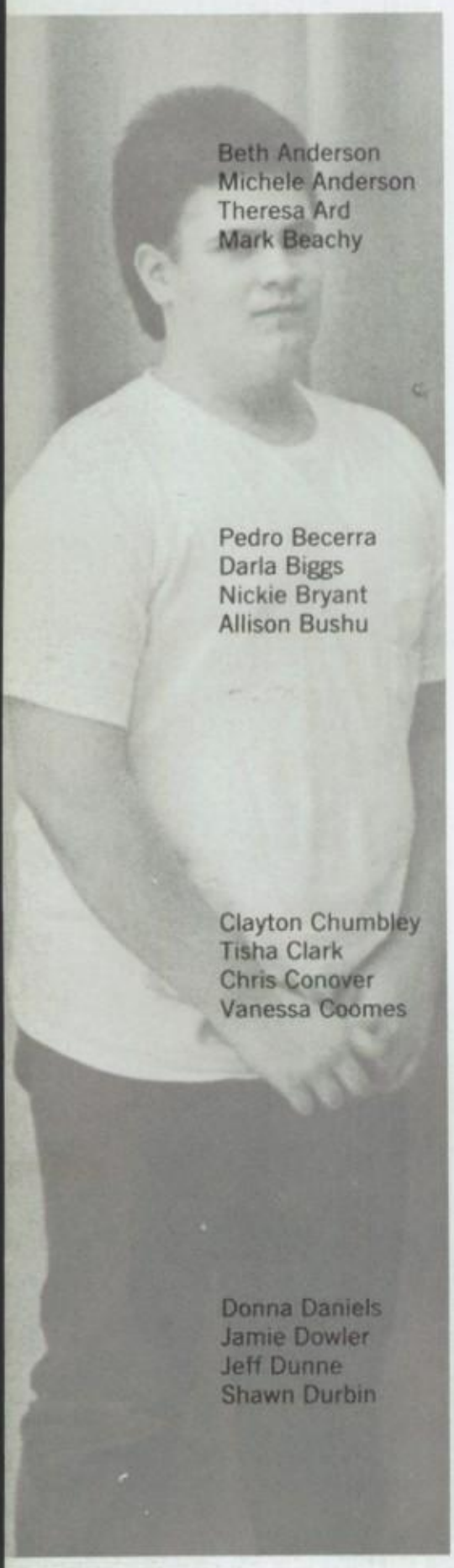
UNDERCLASSMEN
AND
SENIORS

FRESHMAN

SURVIVING THAT 1ST

SURVIVAL . . . that is the tough part at the beginning of the school year and no one knows it better than the Freshman students. The year got started with the election of officers: Pictured Left — Dan Monahan, Bobbi Reece and Mike Helmuth. But even with many fears, Freshmen found the year very exciting but also very hard. Students were loaded down with homework and faced subjects that they had never faced before. The expression "hang-in-there" became commonly used by these underclassmen.

Joining clubs was a new adventure and many kids met friends and found comfortable niches to relax and feel a part of a group in school.



Beth Anderson
Michele Anderson
Theresa Ard
Mark Beachy

Pedro Becerra
Darla Biggs
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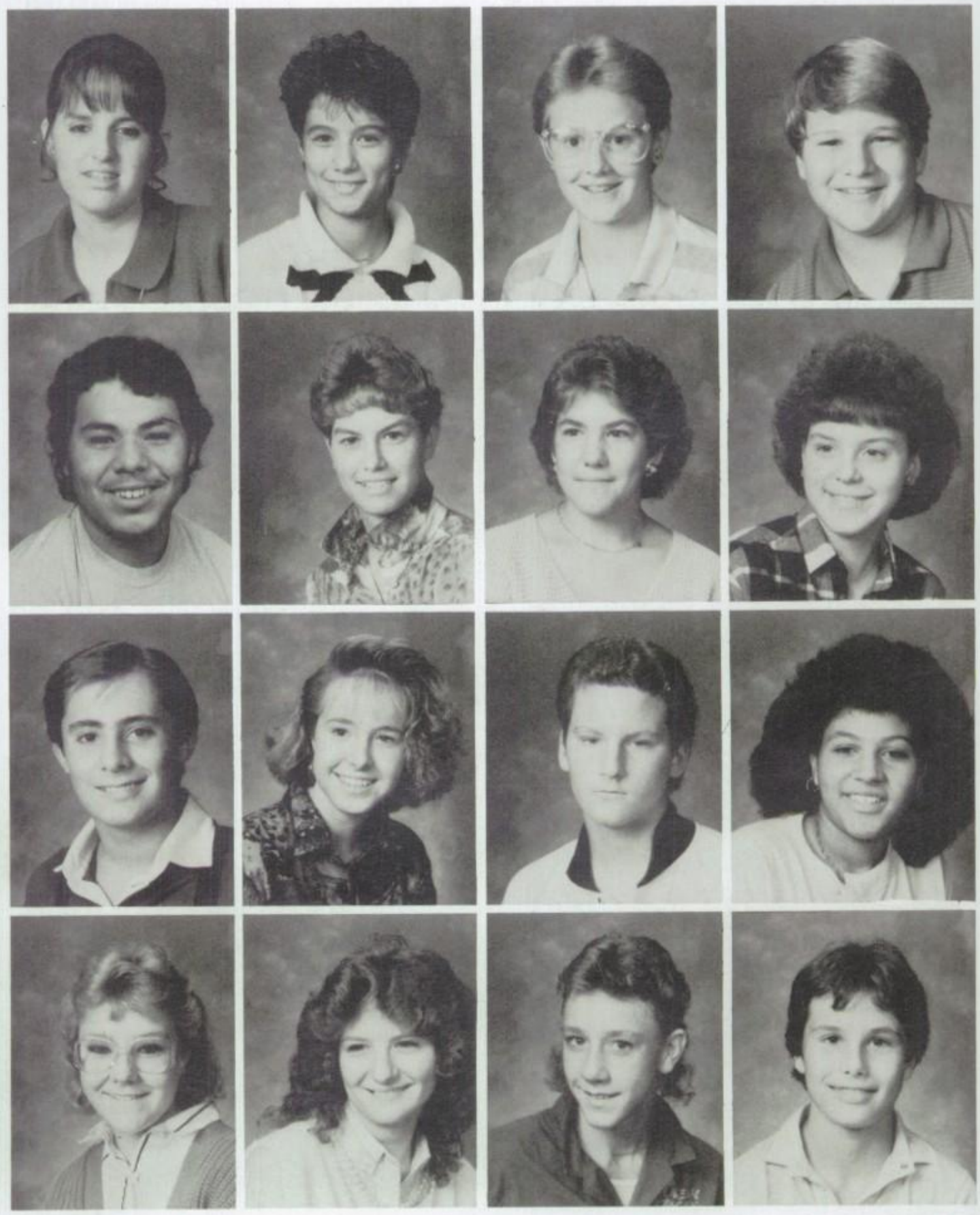
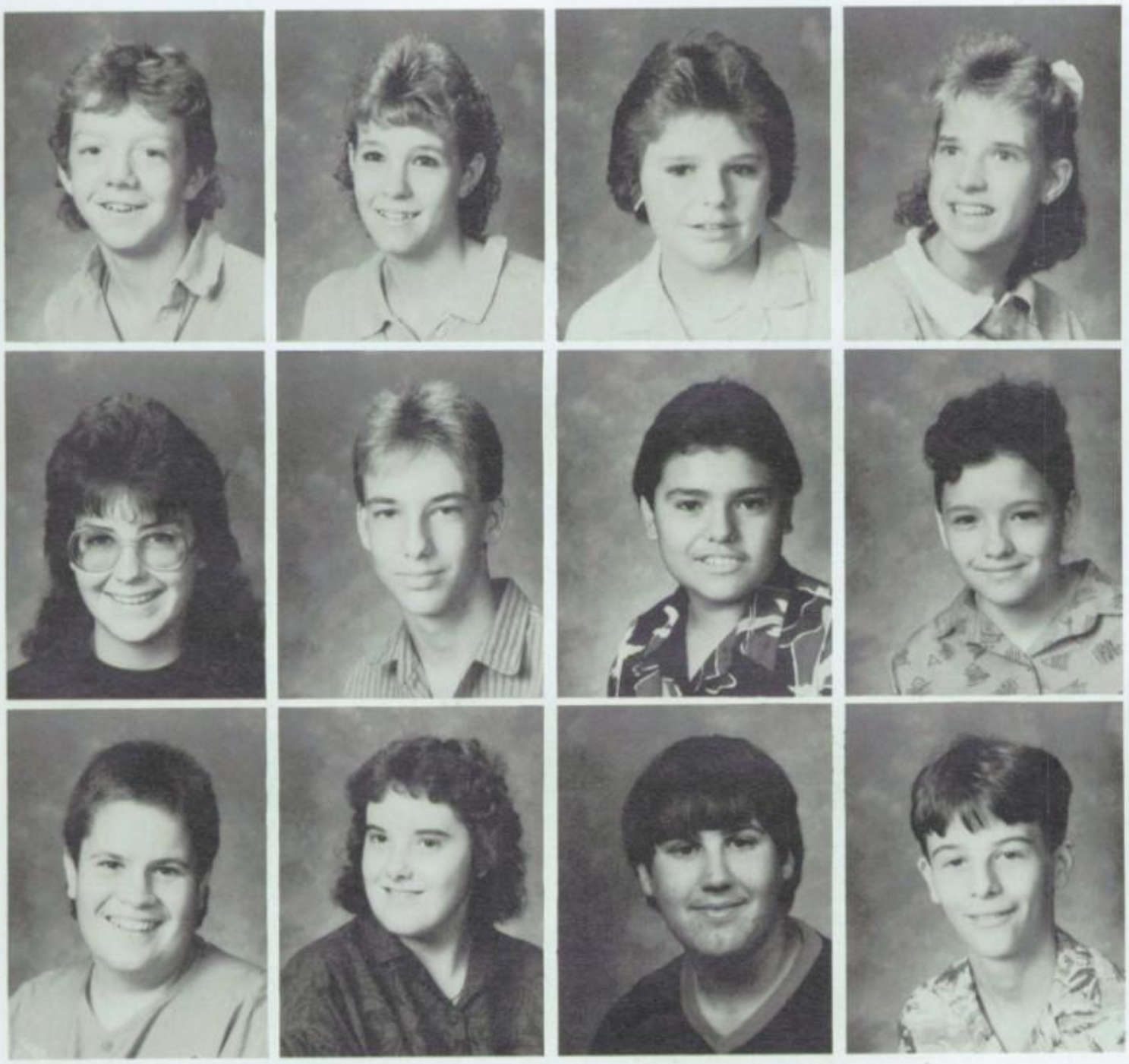
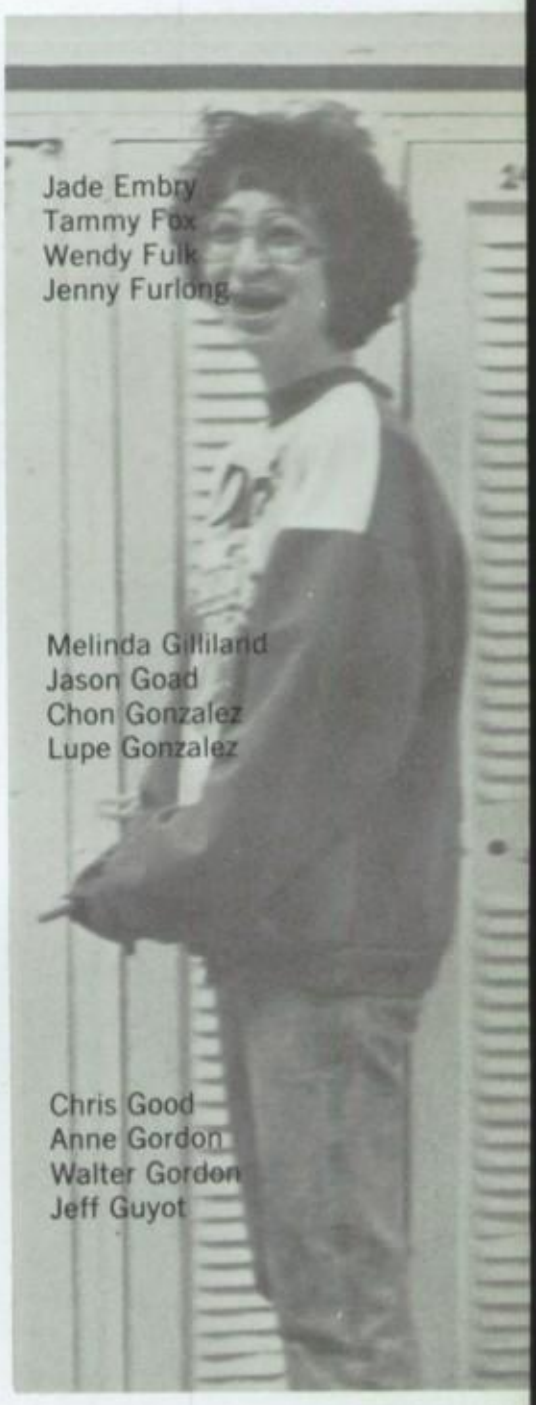
Jeff Dunne
Shawn Durbin



YEAR AT ARCOLA HIGH IS TOUGH





Jade Embry
Tammy Fox
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Lupe Gonzalez

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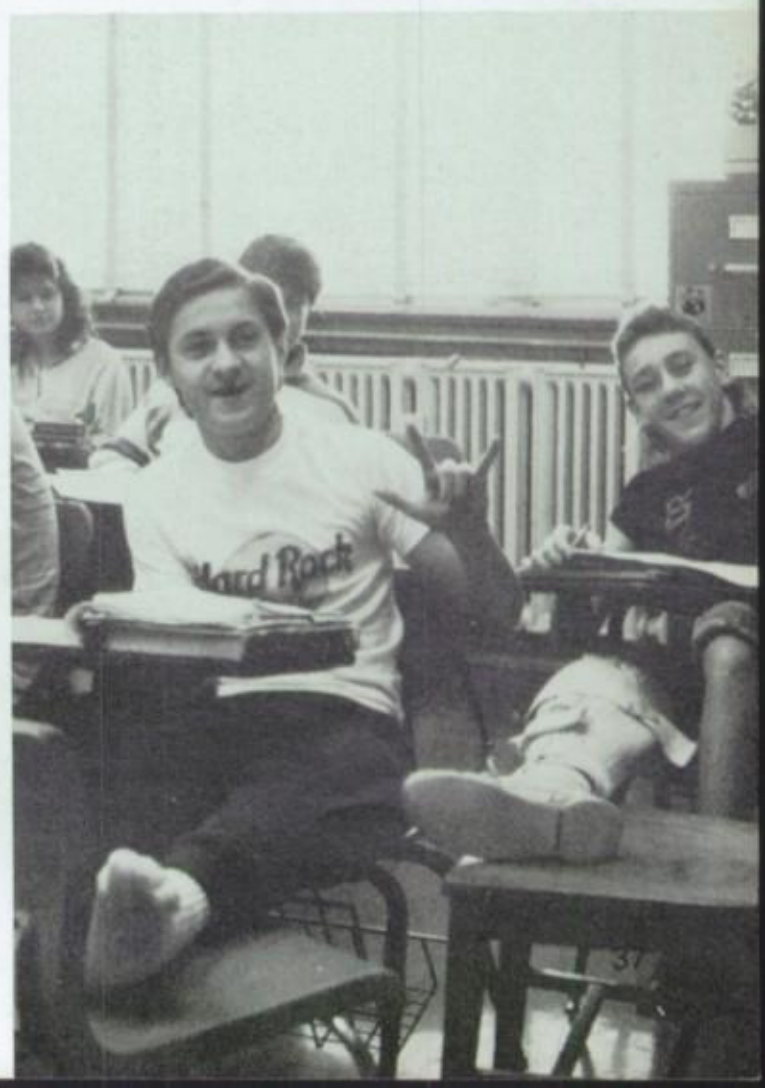
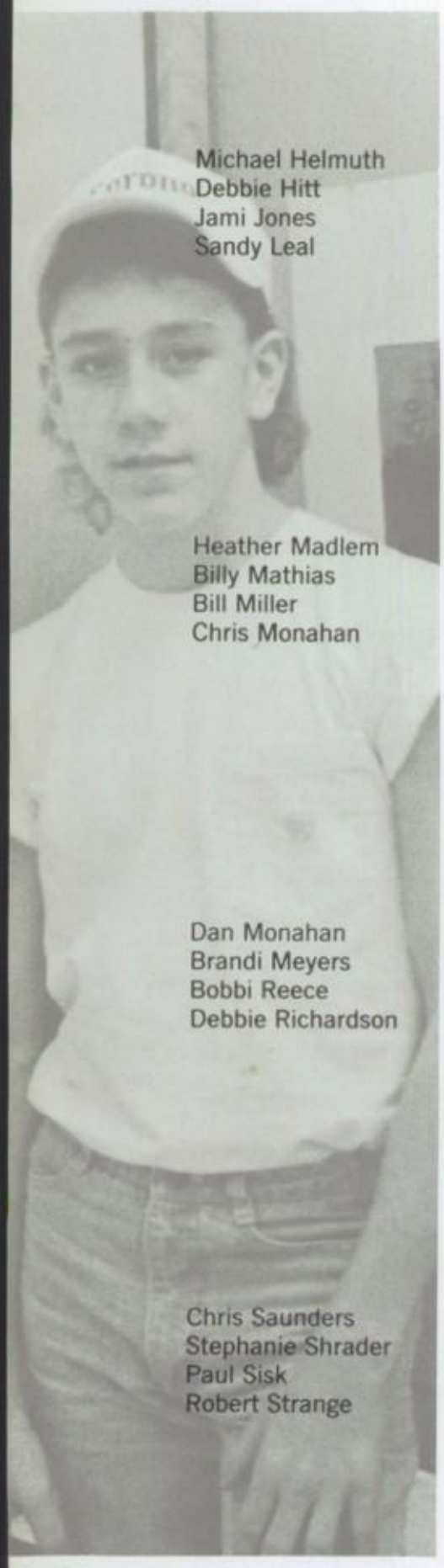
Anne Gordon
Walter Gordon
Jeff Guyot





Michael Helmuth
Debbie Hitt
Jami Jones
Sandy Leal

Heather Madlem
Billy Mathias
Bill Miller
Chris Monahan

Dan Monahan
Brandi Meyers
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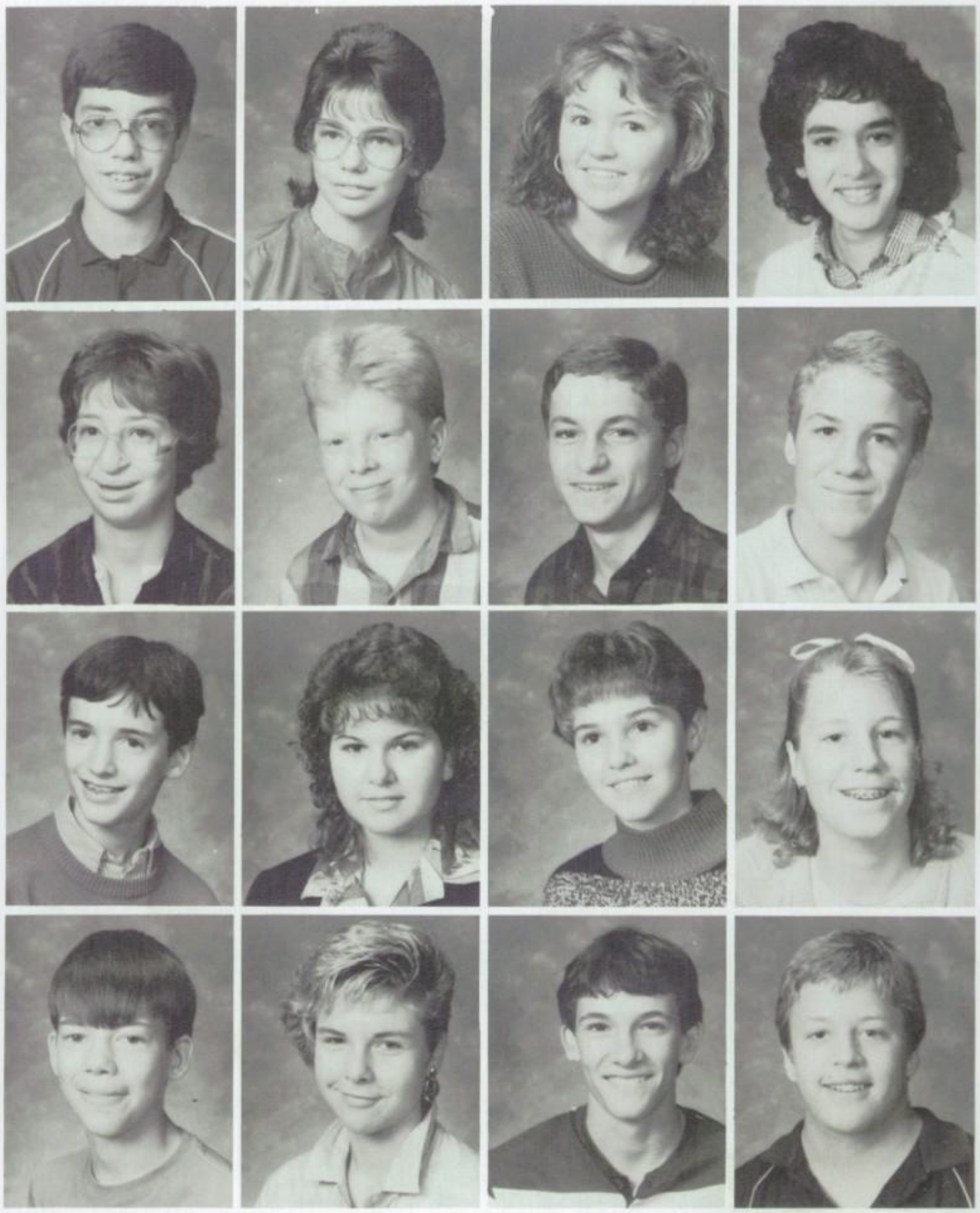
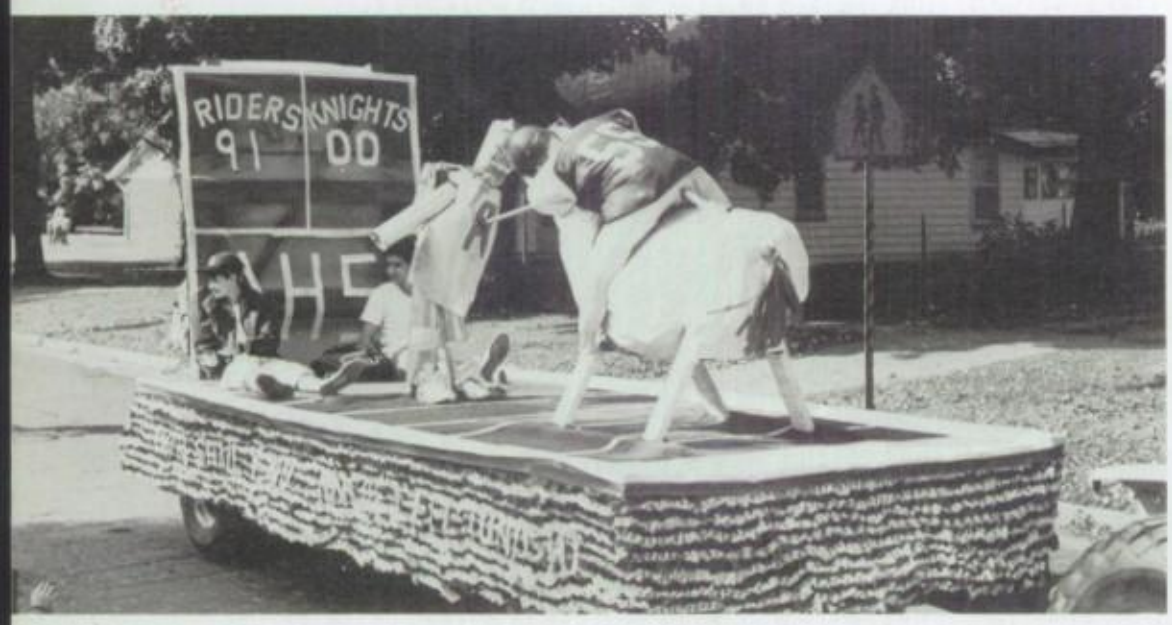
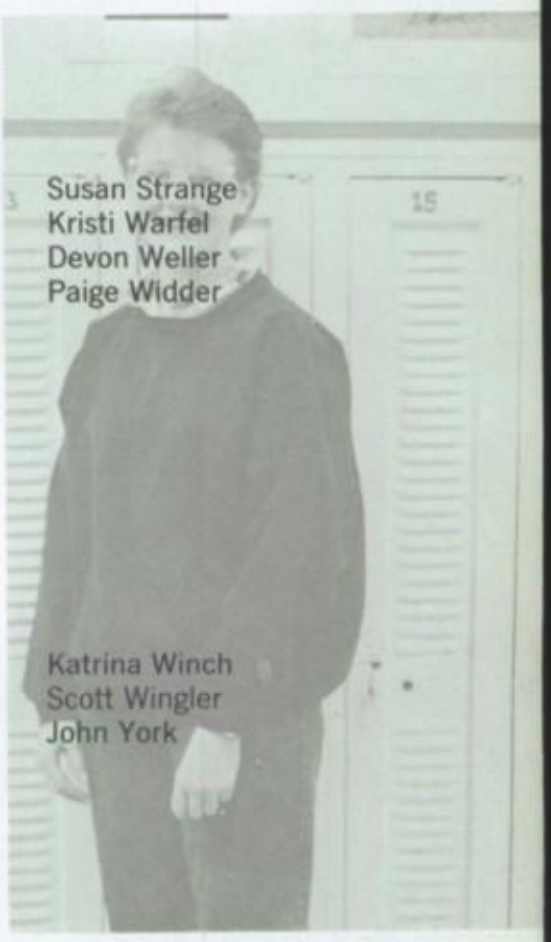
Debbie Richardson

Chris Saunders
Stephanie Shrader
Paul Sisk
Robert Strange

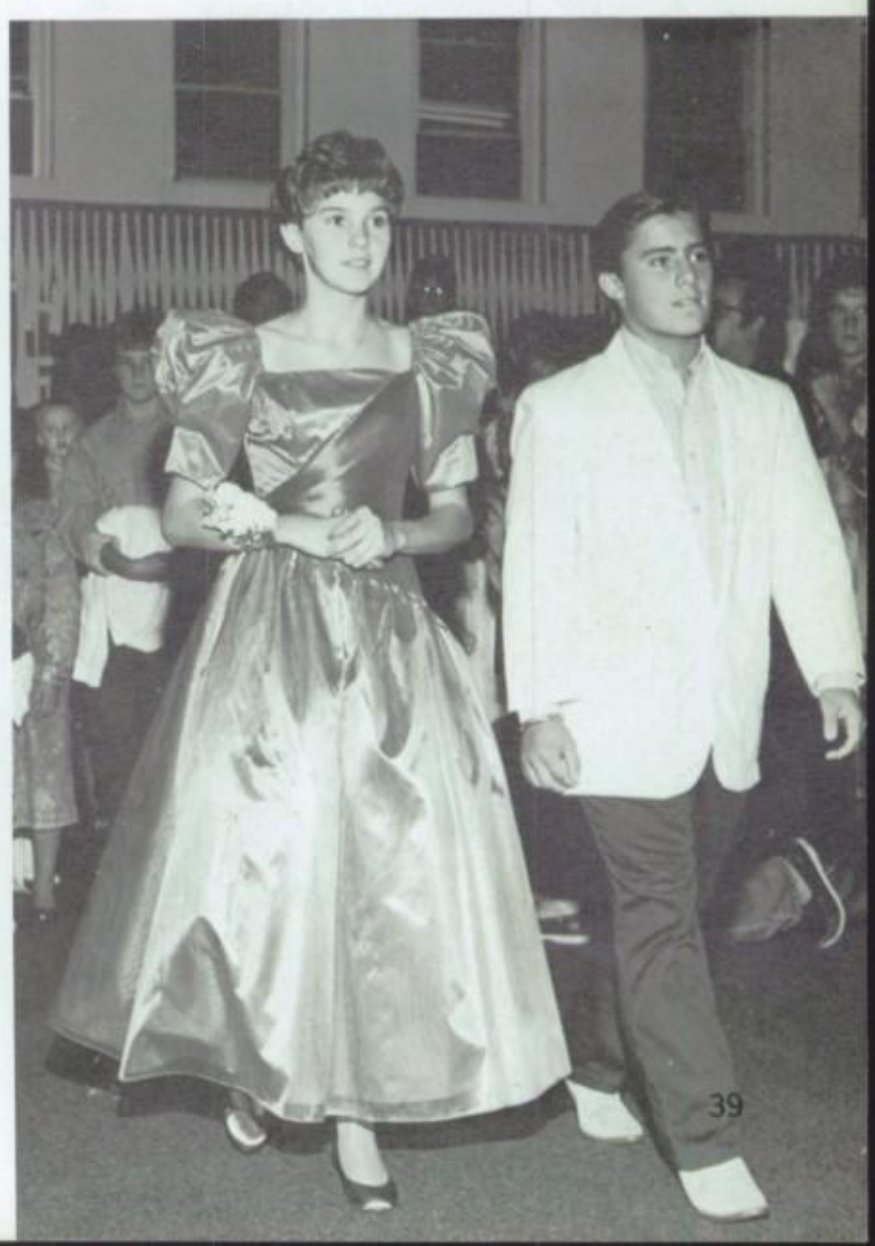




Susan Strange
Kristi Warfel
Devon Weller
Paige Widder



Katrina Winch
Scott Wingler
John York

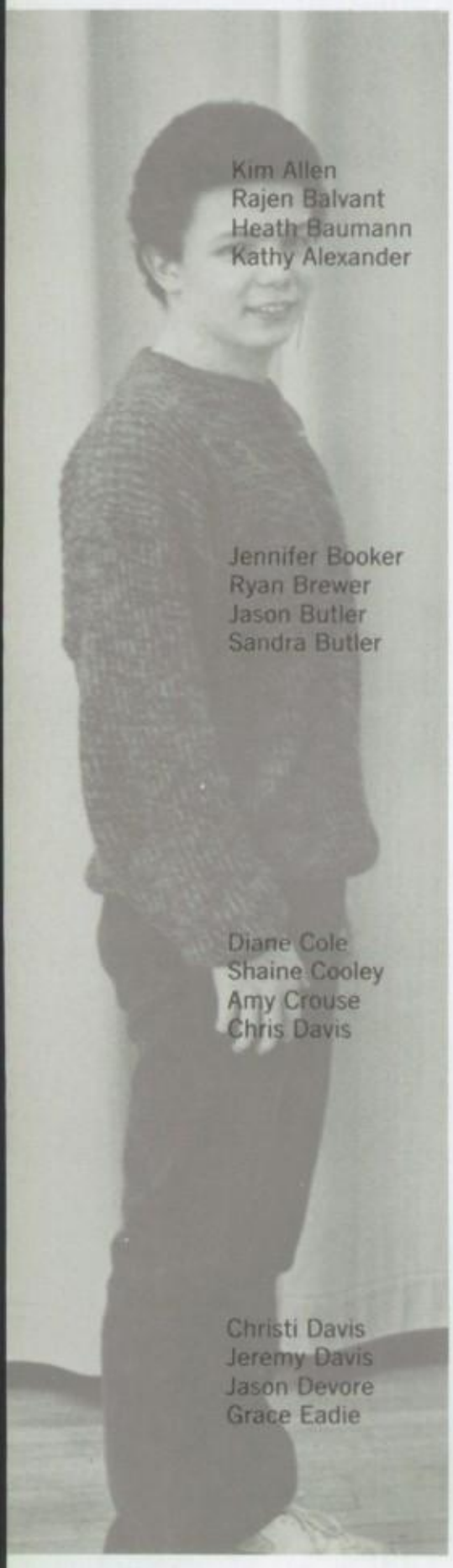


SOPHOMORES

SPIRIT STICK AWARDED

Everyone remembers their second year in High School because they have their head on a little straighter than during their freshman year. Things seem to run smoother throughout the year with the election of officers Pictured Left — Jennie Edwards, Colleen Monahan, Tiffany Rollings and Nathan Roberts. Of course the highlight of the Sophomore year is picking out class rings and we can't forget . . . "getting your license" during the year as another highlight.

Students seem to know what to expect of High School and many fears have vanished as opposed to their Freshman year. Fears that once appeared so real now have little notice as sophomores zip through each day.

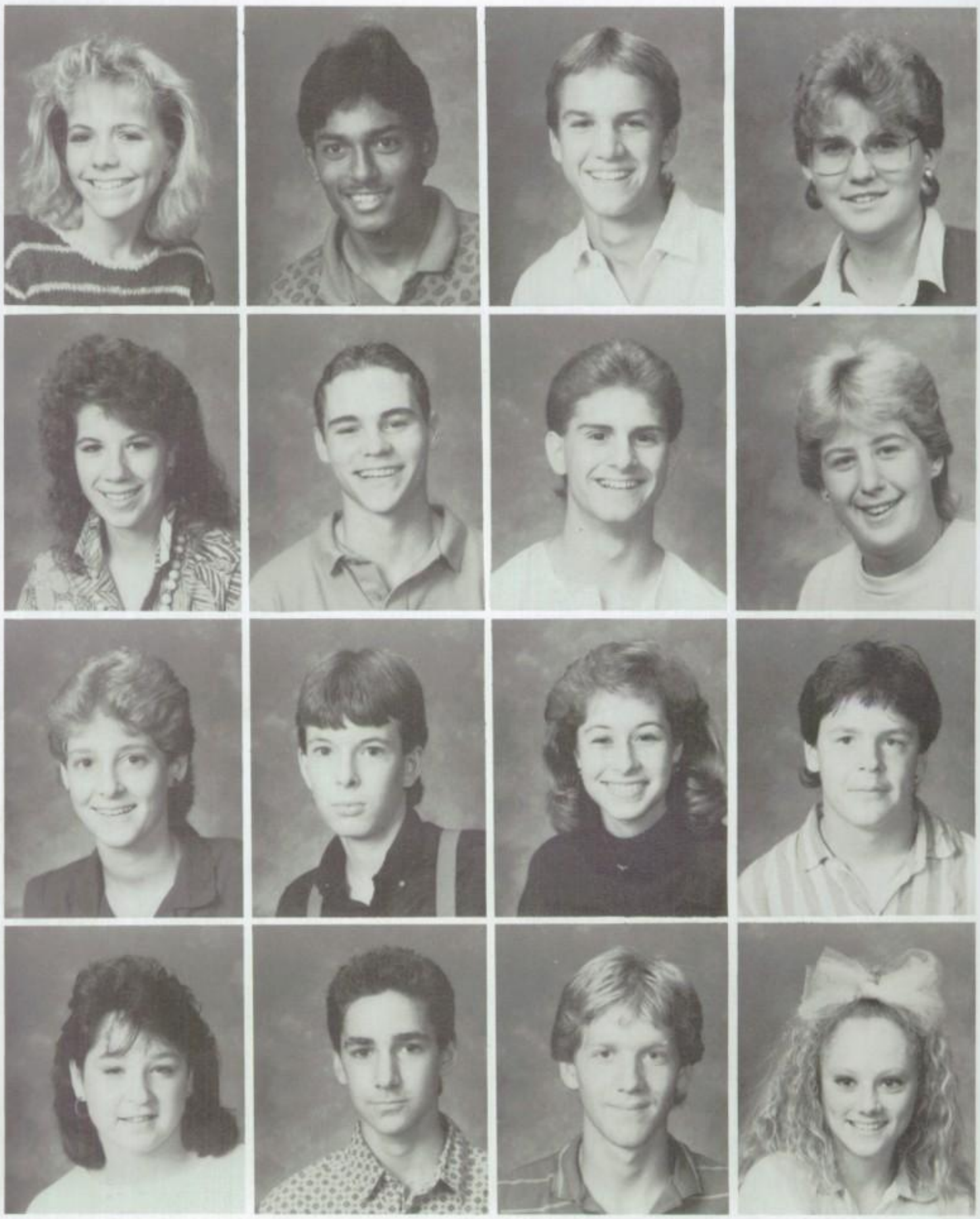


Kim Allen
Rajen Balvant
Heath Baumann
Kathy Alexander

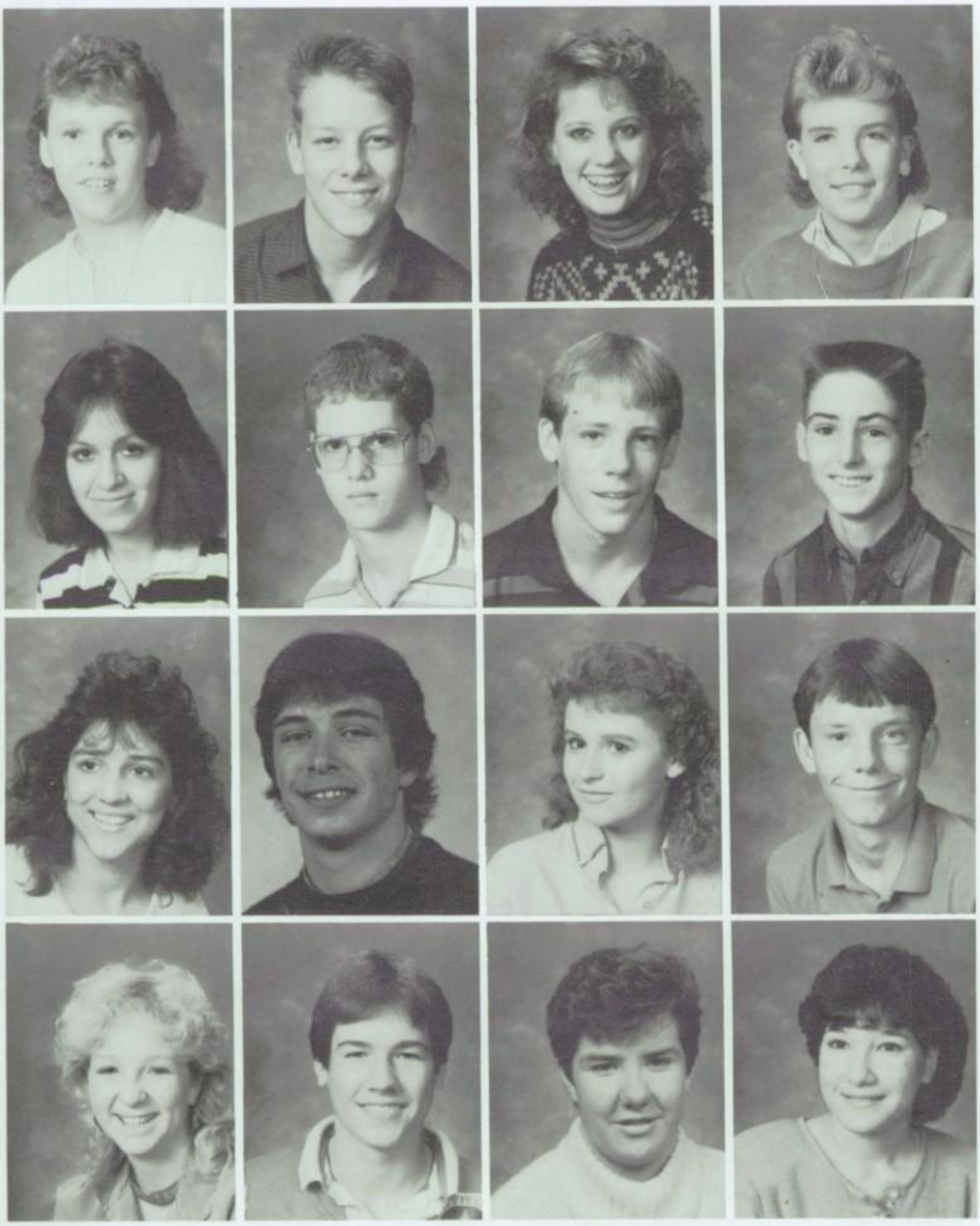
Jennifer Booker
Ryan Brewer
Jason Butler
Sandra Butler

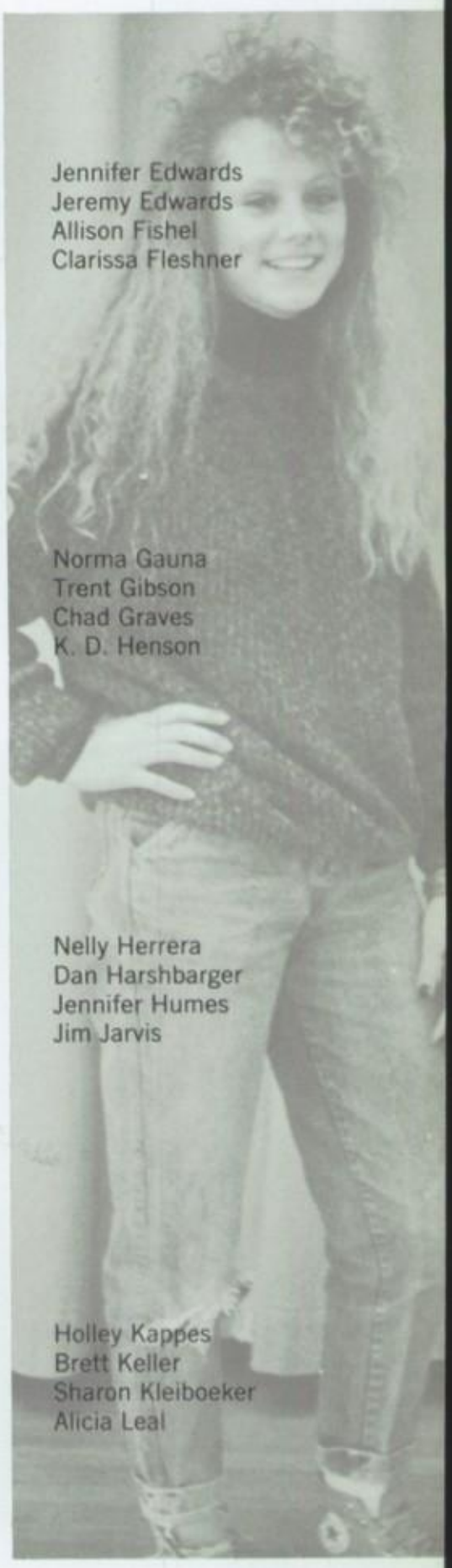
Diane Cole
Shaine Cooley
Amy Crouse
Chris Davis

Christi Davis
Jeremy Davis
Jason Devore
Grace Eadie



TO SOPHOMORES FOR SUPER SPIRIT





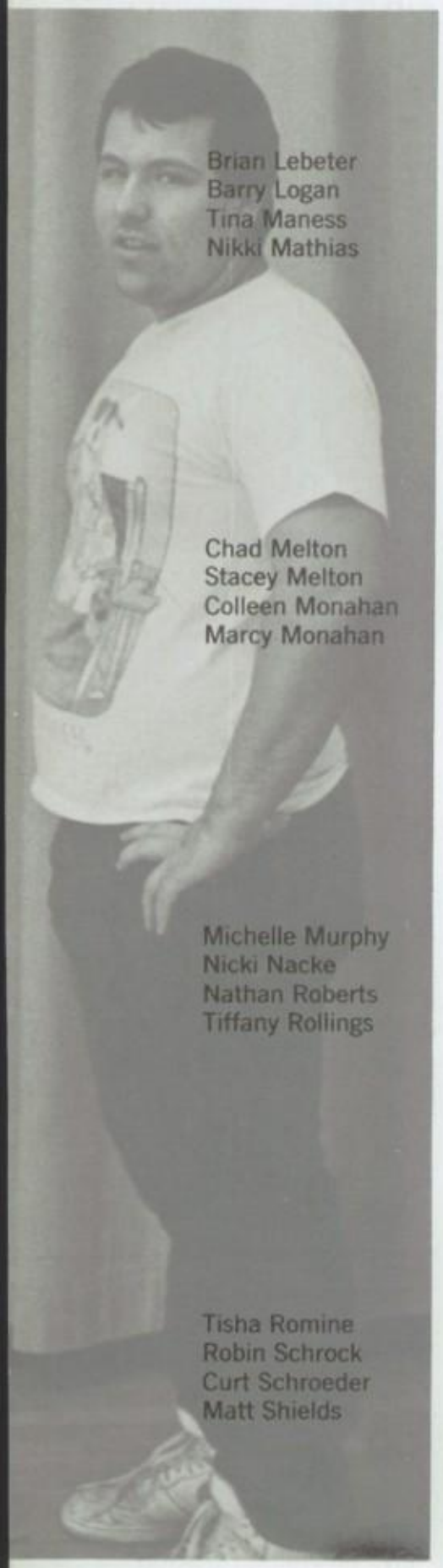
Jennifer Edwards
Jeremy Edwards
Allison Fishel
Clarissa Fleshner

Norma Gauna
Trent Gibson
Chad Graves
K. D. Henson

Nelly Herrera
Dan Harshbarger
Jennifer Humes
Jim Jarvis

Holley Kappes
Brett Keller
Sharon Kleiboeker
Alicia Leal

Sophomores have lots of SPIRIT and they also have lots of SPUNK as we can see in the photo to Left — Jason Butler, Jason Yoder and Kent Warfel show the playful side of their spirit during yearbook photo day. One can only imagine how they will actually manage a vehicle when they turn 16.



Brian Lebeter
Barry Logan
Tina Maness
Nikki Mathias

Chad Melton
Stacey Melton
Colleen Monahan
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Michelle Murphy
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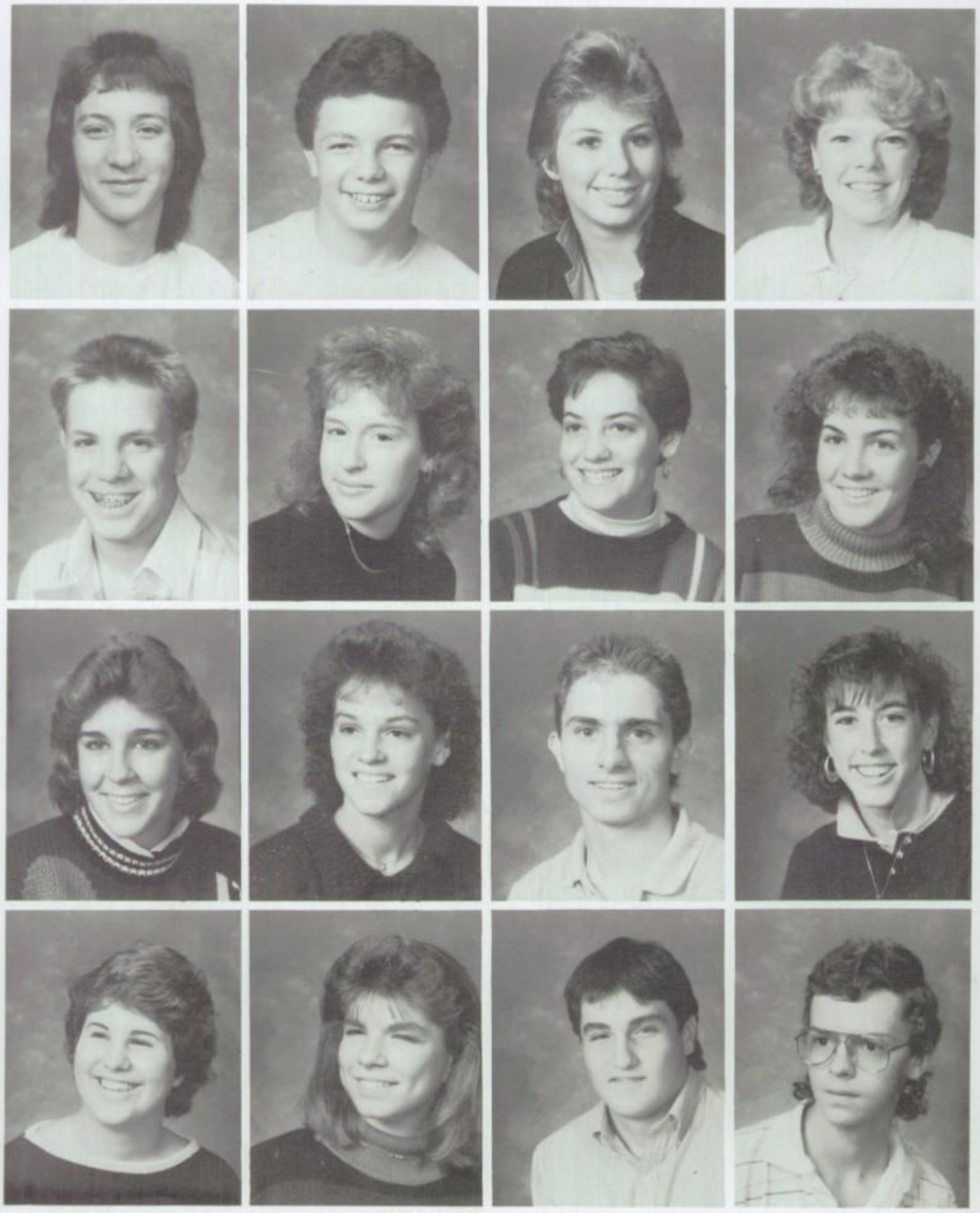
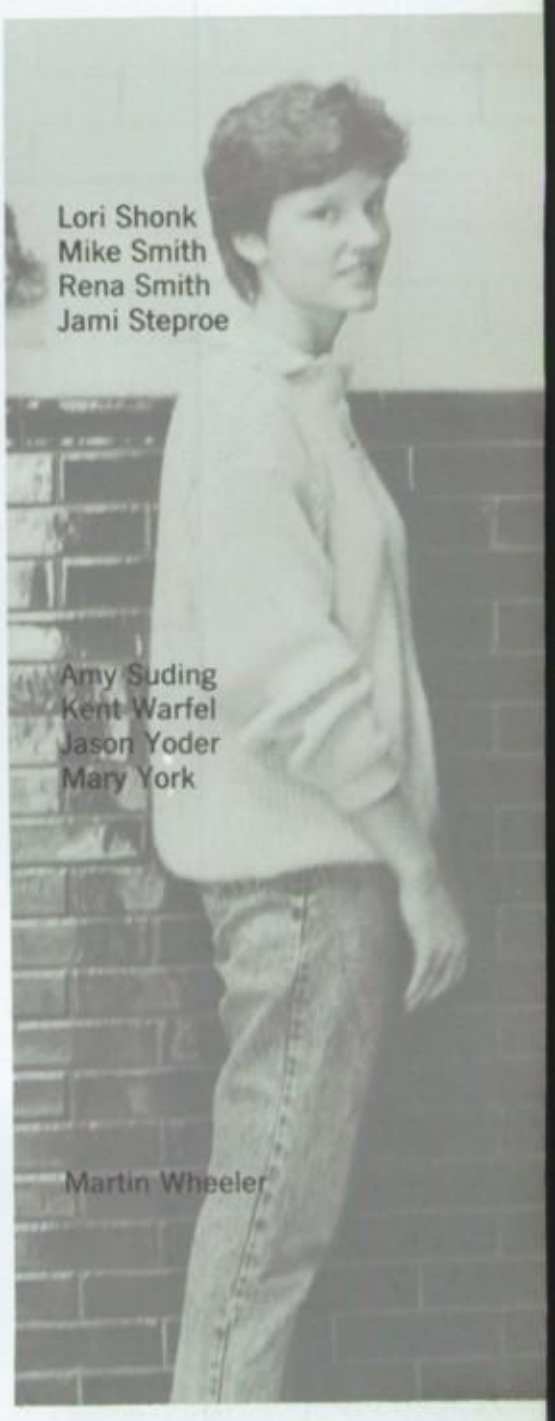
Tiffany Rollings

Tisha Romine
Robin Schrock
Curt Schroeder
Matt Shields



Sophomores "make their mark" as attendants Allison Fishel and Brett Keller sport the very latest in fashion at the Homecoming Dance. Now that they are Sophomores . . . no one can tell if they are nervous or not as opposed to their Freshman Year.

Right, Holley Kappes and her beautiful horse stand almost motionless as the camera catches the flag flying freely in the breeze.



Lori Shonk
Mike Smith
Rena Smith
Jami Steproe

Amy Suding
Kent Warfel
Jason Yoder
Mary York

Martin Wheeler

JUNIORS LOOK FORWARD

This year was a challenge to many of the Juniors. Difficult classes, such as Chemistry, Algebra II and Grammar Composition force many students to study long hours. Looking forward to a successful year, the Juniors started out on the right foot by electing Photo Below Left — Trina Hall, Kendall Hohlbauch, Annita Newton and Vanessa Reese.

The Junior year was turning point towards maturity for many students at Arcola High School.

Jerry Beals
Taisha Bright
Kevin Byard
Marilyn Davis

Angie Downing
Roger England
Kendra Eskridge
Erik Fultz

Mike Gee
Ron Gilliland
Katrina Hall
Tony Harris

Jodi Henderson
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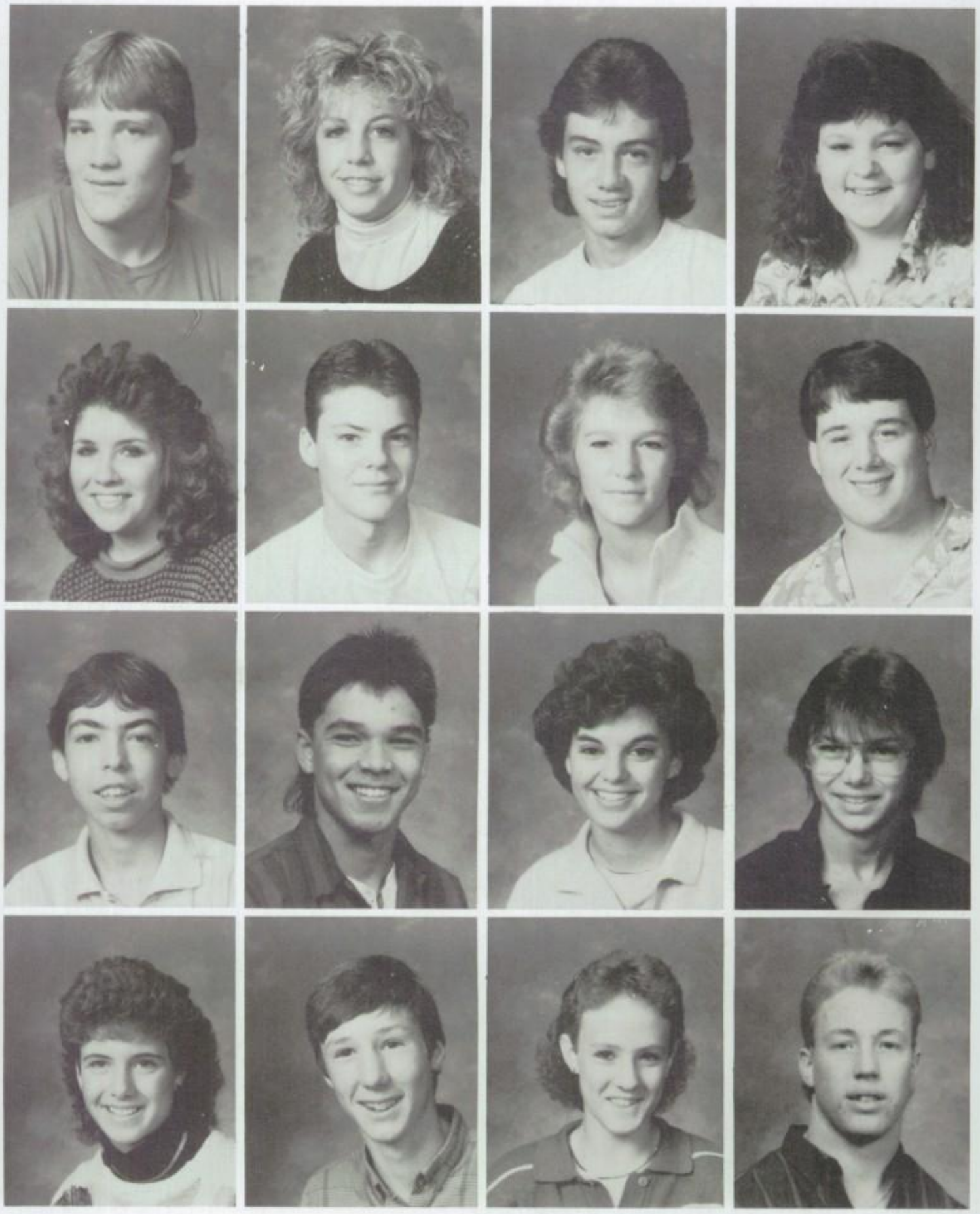
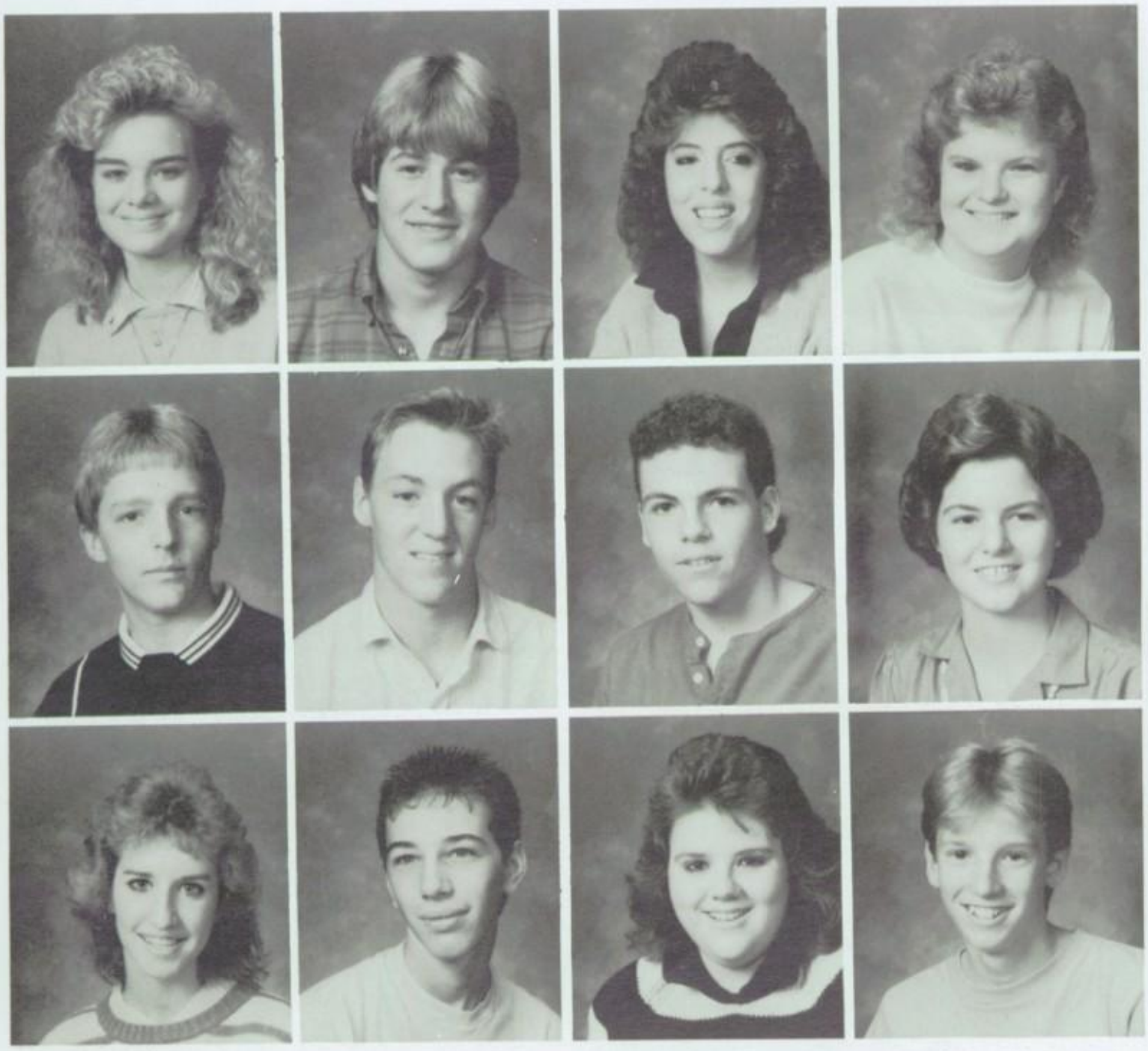
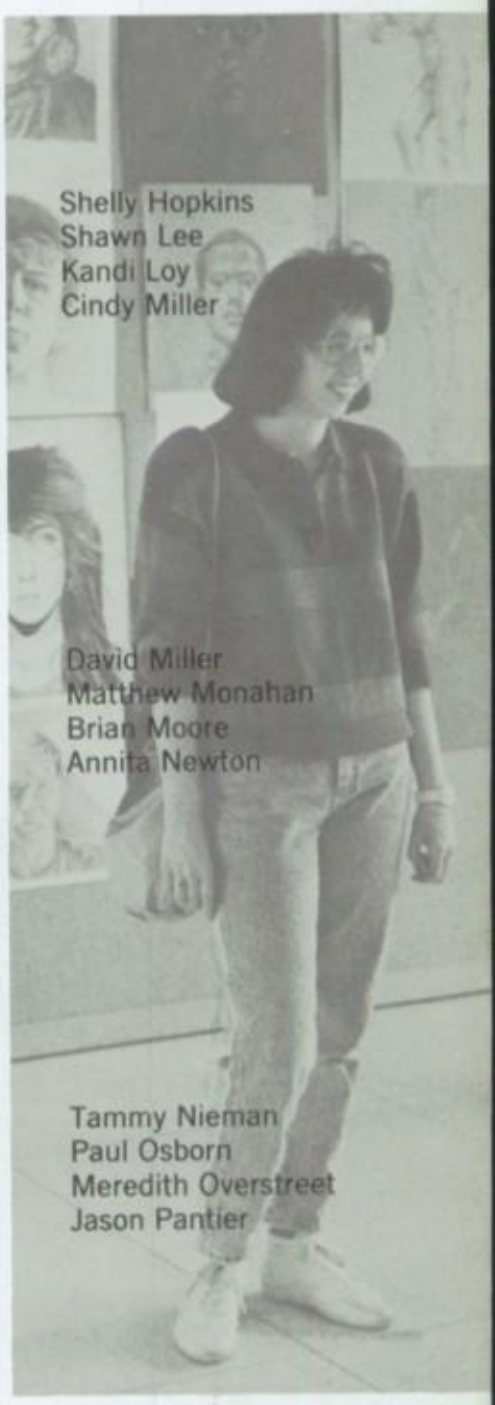


SPIRIT WITH DIRECTION

TO THEIR SENIOR YEAR WITH ENTHUSIASM





Shelly Hopkins
Shawn Lee
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Cindy Miller

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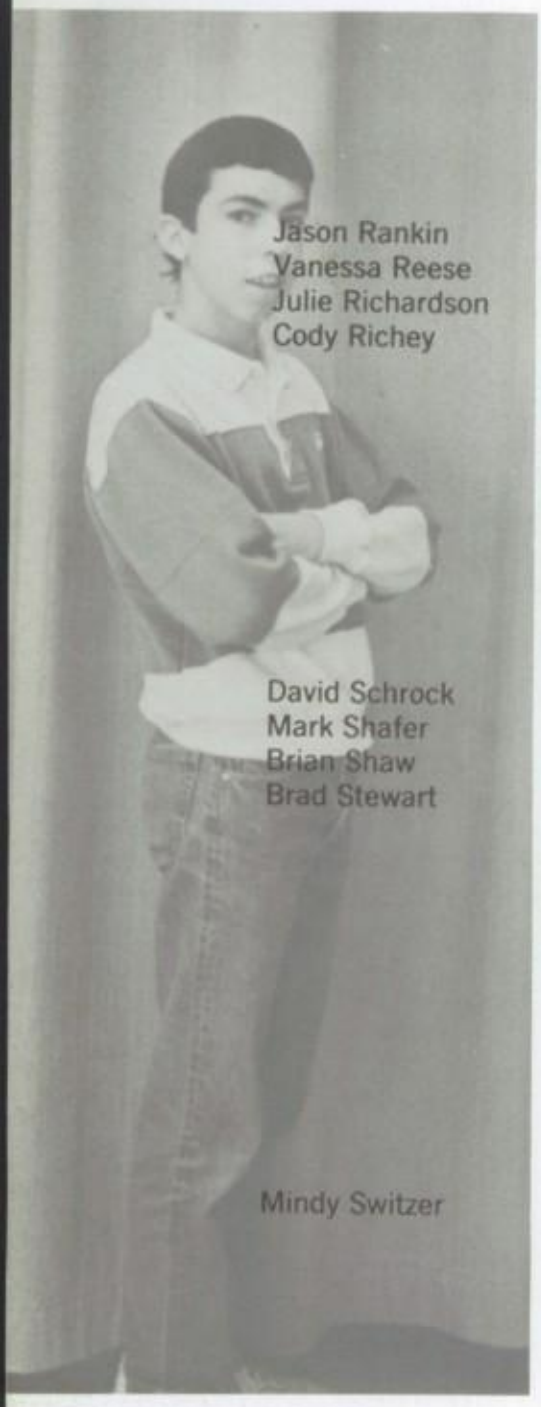
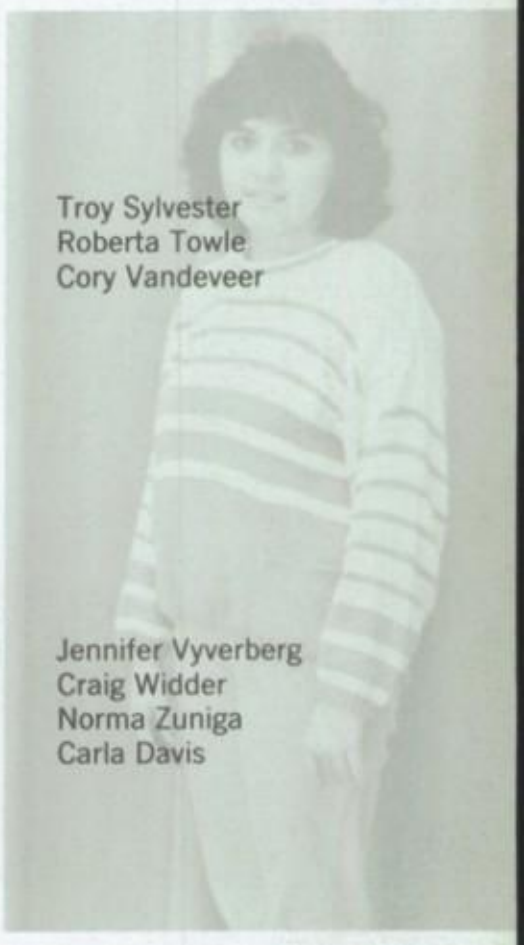
Jason Pantier



In the photo Below Left — Jodi Henderson and Cory VanDeveer walk with pride as the Junior Attendants during the Homecoming Dance. This very special privilege gives students a chance to gain self-confidence in front of a crowd. Roberta Towle and Taisha Bright pose for the yearbook photographer in art class. These two girls are an asset to their Junior Class because of the sweet personalities each possess in the photo right.



Troy Sylvester
Roberta Towle
Cory Vandeveer

Jennifer Vyverberg
Craig Widder
Norma Zuniga
Carla Davis

I, Eric Butler, being of relatively sound mind and body, will the Battle Cat and the ability to drive it (with all of its quirks) to my deserving sibling Jason.
I, Lisa Goble, will Marcy, Rhoda, and Erin the ability to drive my truck without burning out at every stop sign, taking corners at high speeds, and having to worry about minor 'personal' accidents.
I, Lisa Goble, will Rhoda Strange the largest size Pepsi available, some new wooden spoons, the ability to successfully turn a truck around in Mark Clark's driveway without getting stuck, and the undercover van.
I, Kyle Wingler, will my brother Scott, my driving ability, and from personal experience, a warning to stay away from the town police.
I, Kyle Wingler, will Kim Allen the ability to drive a stick shift.
I, Kim Douthitt, will Grace Eadie my ability to make my stomach growl in class.
I, Kim Douthitt, will Jason Good a bag of kitty litter and Jeff Dunne my locker.
I, Erin Monahan, will Ron Gilliland my ability to make plans for the weekend, a real "filipino tomcat, all the red bikinis he needs, and most importantly the ability to get out of mud puddles while searching for "prairie flowers."
I, Erin Monahan, will Lisa Goble and Rhonda Strange a shopping spree at Target to buy all the turtlenecks and colored socks they need in hope that they too may "fit in," and all the breadsticks with cheese sauce they can find under the table at Monical's.
I, Jennifer Clark, will my ability to grow tall to Jason Yoder.
I, Jennifer Clark, will my ability to walk to school in all types of weather to Norma Zuniga.
I, Hollene Eadie, will Angie Downing all the coupon tabs, McDonald-land cookie boxes, and the best of my IGA checking ability.
I, Hollene Eadie, will my half of our room and many peanut M&M's to Grace Eadie, and to Jason Goad and Jeff Dunne, I will all the rabbits in Rabbit Alley, and the memory of my "original" hair color.
I, Amy Fishel, will my innocent baby sister Ali and her angelical best friend Marcy the strength and will power it will take for them to graduate without skipping class. (and/or the ability not to get caught)
We, Liz and Laura A., will Ali, Collene, and Marcy the success in designing fashions and all the necessary funds to keep them socially acceptable.
We, Tammie Embry, Sabrina England, and Stacy Carlberg, will Mrs. Stiff all the corn chexs, all the "noids" and the ability to grow old gracefully.
I, Stacy Carlberg, will Sandra Butler the ability to skip and not get caught.
I, Tammie Embry, will Sandra Butler the ability to run and hide while being chased at night (I'm Busted)
I, Laura Moore, will to Tiffany Rollings my tolerance and understanding for two more years of high school.
I, Laura Moore, will to Chris Monahan my superior basketball playing ability and a few of my presents from the Red Fox.
We, the Senior Cheerleaders, will some school spirit to Arcola High School and some new purple pants to the future cheerleaders.
I, Kerri Jo Arrol, will Rhoda many good times with her green sweats and to never forget that L. H. is underrated.
I, Kerri Jo Arrol, will Nancy driving lessons in Monica's car and lots of open space to practice.
I, Angie Thornton, will my tweezers to Bobbi Reece.
I, Angie Thornton, will my 'just one of thosed moods' to Barry Logan and Mike Smith.
I, Monica Willison, will Jennie Edwards and Colleen Monahan my "photographic memory."
I, Jayne Goben, will to my brother Matt the best of luck in high school. Hang in there, sweetie. I love you.
I, Jayne Goben, will to Troy Sylvester a lifetime supply of sweet potatoes and my love always.
I, Julie Good, will Nadya Gauna the ability to make it through four years at A.H.S.
I, Julie Good, will Nelly Herrera my Junior and Senior year report cards.
I, Mark Clark, will Eric Butler a wheel barrel and Nancy Strange a hammock to carry their most prized possessions.
I, Mark Clark, will the passengers of Vanessa Reece's car a crash helmet and strong seat belts so they can survive any unexpected ride through a bean field.
I, Greg Little, will my ability to get stuck and my towstrap to Mark Shafer.
I, Greg Little, will my ability to back up without hitting anything to Shelly Hopkins.
We, Lisa Goble and Erin Monahan, will Rhonda Strange some new and exciting objects in her Pepsi while taking a Monical's trip.
I, Nancy Strange, will Colleen Monahan the wonderful name Laura.
I, Nancy Strange, will Christopher Monahan the Neil Diamond tape he loves so much.
I, Tim Stanton, will Mary my undying love and affection.
I, Rhonda Strange, will to Lisa Goble who has long since escaped the terror of being an idiot freshman all the road maps she could ever need in the hopes that some day she will find her way without me, a dictionary, some "squozen" orange juice, some medicine for her fits, and a sedative.
I, Rhonda Strange, will to Kerri Jo Arrol a box of 64 crayons with the built-in sharpener, a life size poster of the infamous Lou Henson and a car with doors that open.
I, Maria Leal, will Alicia Leal another "science" class.
I, Maria Leal, will Nelly Herrera the ability to know the difference between hot and cold.
I, Eric Butler, will to my dear friends of the class of 90, who shall remain unnamed, the best of everything during their last two years of high school.
I, Sabrina England, will my incredible ability in Spanish to Tiffany Rollings.
I, Shadow, will Smiles, my everlasting friendship no matter where we are.
I, Shadow, will Smiles, the ability to come in late from certain places and not get in trouble.
I, Becky Smith, will Annita and Jamie the entire contents of locker #40.
I, Becky Smith, will my Garfield postcards to "the Bean" so she won't have to "borrow" them anymore.
I, Nellie Burch, will all of my Chippendales posters to Susan Strange.
I, Nellie Burch, will my ability to get along with Mr. Fox and Mrs. Sluder to Missy Edwards.
I, Mike Nelson, being of sound mind and body, leave to Mr. Thomas his eyesight and memory so that he won't forget that his glasses are around his neck.
I, a devour Mopar man, hereby leave to all Ford drivers the wisdom to sell their vehicles and buy a real car.

Kerri Jo Arrol

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Brian Budd

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Nellie Ann Burch

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Kevin W. Bushu

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Eric D. Butler

Eric D. Butler

Stacy Lynn Carlberg

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Jennifer J. Clark

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Mark A. Clark

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Aaron S. Coombe

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Martin Lee Culp

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Kimberly A. Douthitt

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L. Hollene Eadie

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Tammie S. Embry

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Sabrina Diana England

Sabrina Diana England

Amy Jo Fishel

Amy Jo Fishel

Jayne M. Goben

Jayne M. Goben

Lisa D. Goble

Lisa D. Goble

Julie A. Good

Julie A. Good

Tammy Lynn Good

Tammy Lynn Good

Shannon L. Gordon

Shannon L. Gordon

Doug A. Helmuth

Doug A. Helmuth

Adriana S. Herrera

Adriana S. Herrera

Steve Hove

Steve Hove

Maria V. Leal

Maria V. Leal

Gregory W. Little

Gregory W. Little

Chet M. Melton

Chet M. Melton

Alicia Mendoza

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Erin C. Monahan

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Kelli S. Murphy

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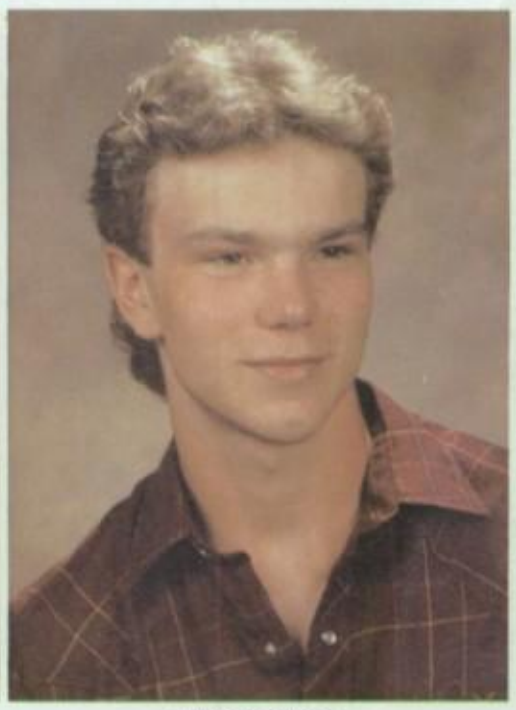

Mike Nelson

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Leann Pool

Leann Pool

Rebecca L. Smith

Rebecca L. Smith

Shandon Smith

Shandon Smith

Leigh Anne Sphar

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Monica Willison

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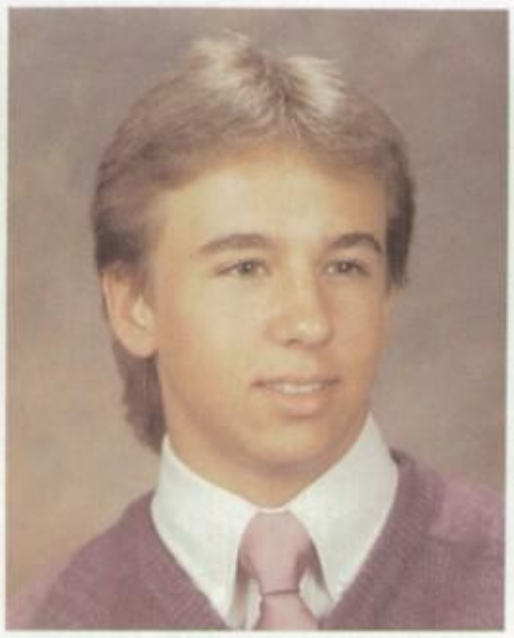


Kyle Wingler

Kyle Wingler

Thomas Zumbiehl

Thomas Zumbiehl

Mr. Rothrock

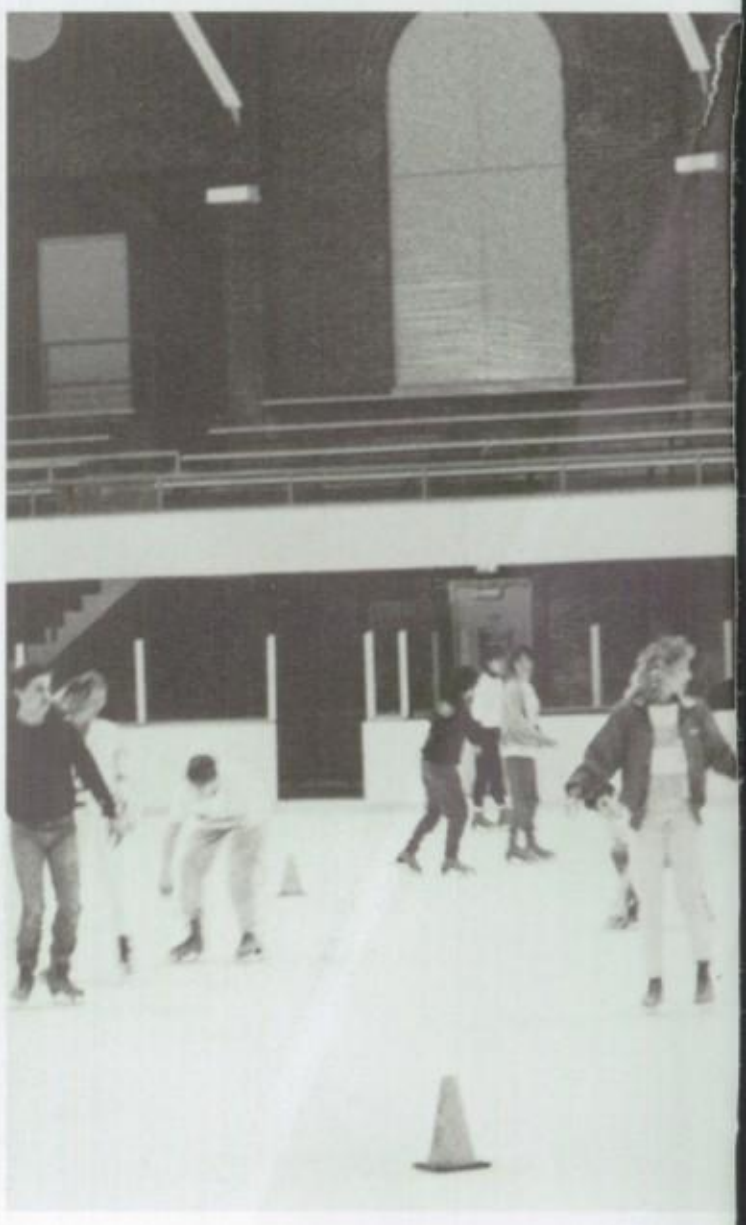
Good times for us came in different ways. Sometimes we were energetic, and we wanted action. Sometimes we were tired and we chose to rest. Sometimes we were mean, and we looked for trouble. Sometimes our fun was planned, but often it was spontaneous. Sometimes the unplanned fun was the best of all. Actually, our needs were simple; therefore, just being together meant some of the best good times.

SPECIAL EVENTS

SPECIAL EVENTS MAKE SCHOOL-LIFE . . .

SPECIAL EVENTS is what makes school fun at AHS. Events spice up school life and help to make each day more interesting. Below Left — Eric Butler and Holly Kappes gave their time as student newscasters for WEIU-TV this year. Other events pictured are the special dinner for teachers provided by Foods Class, Ice Skating was a special event sponsored by Art Club that students enjoyed. Industrial Arts Club annually sponsors a dinner for members and their parents.

Students must earn money throughout the school year in order to sponsor events. Many money-making projects include selling candy which the students love or selling gifts, stationery, etc. The money is then deposited and made ready for club use. The money earned is well spent on fun things for students to do during the year. Everyone looks forward to SPECIAL EVENTS.



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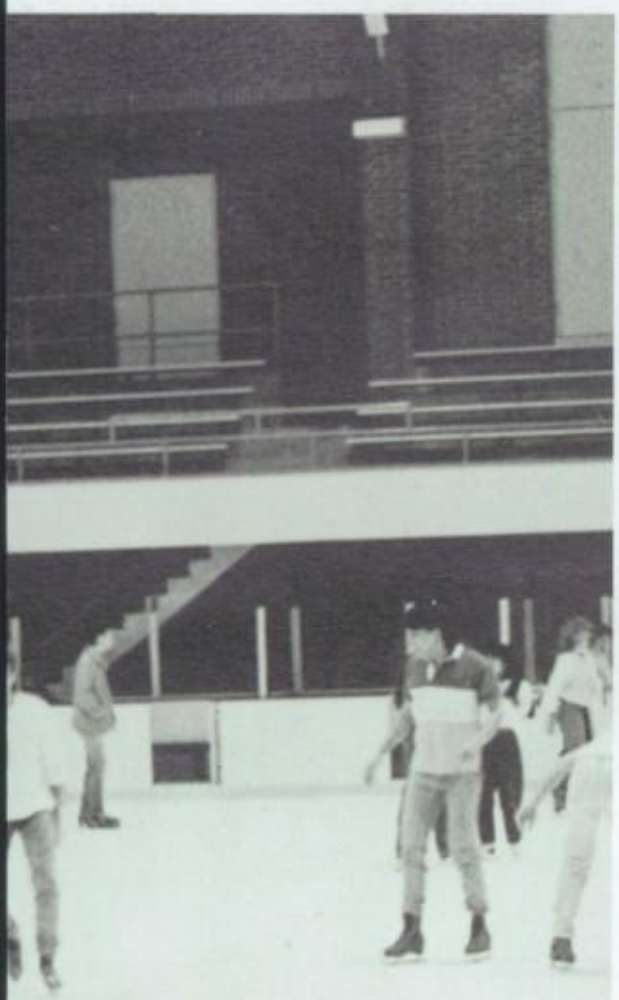
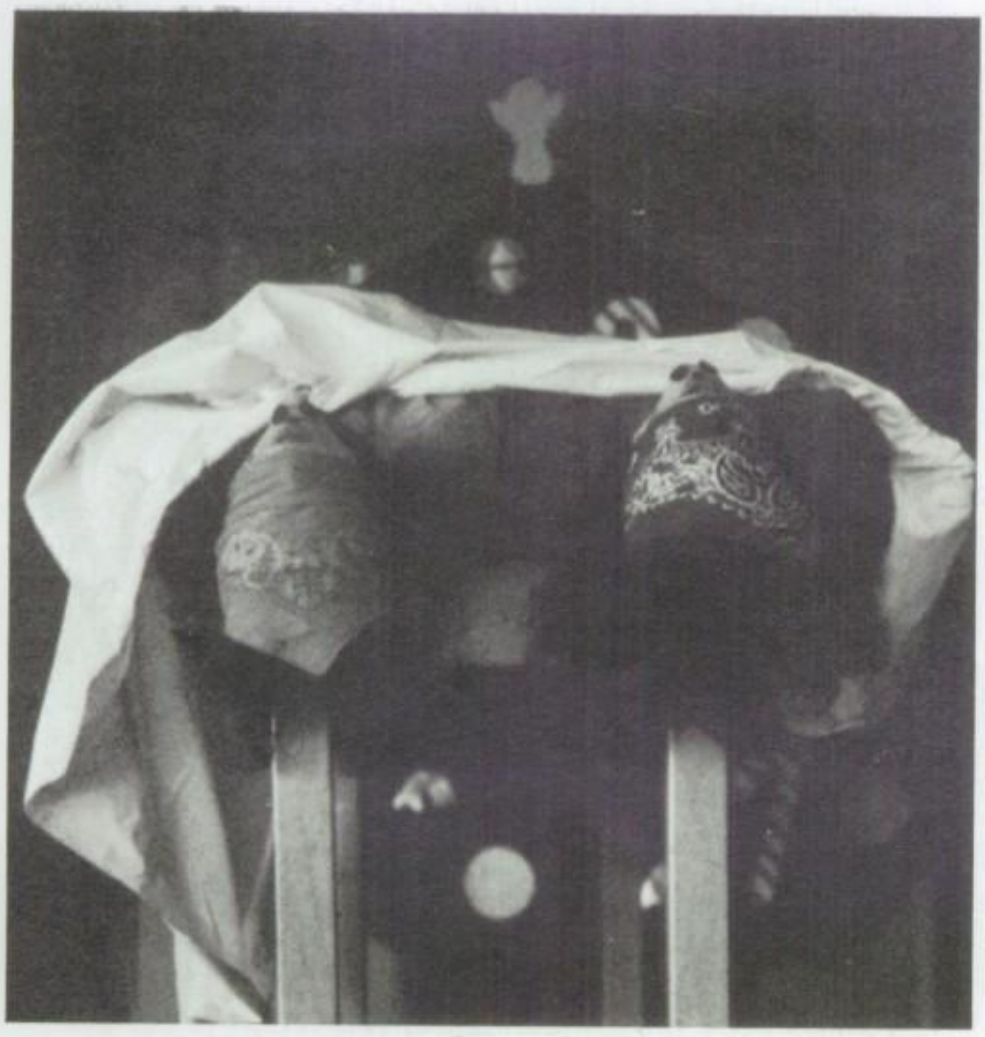
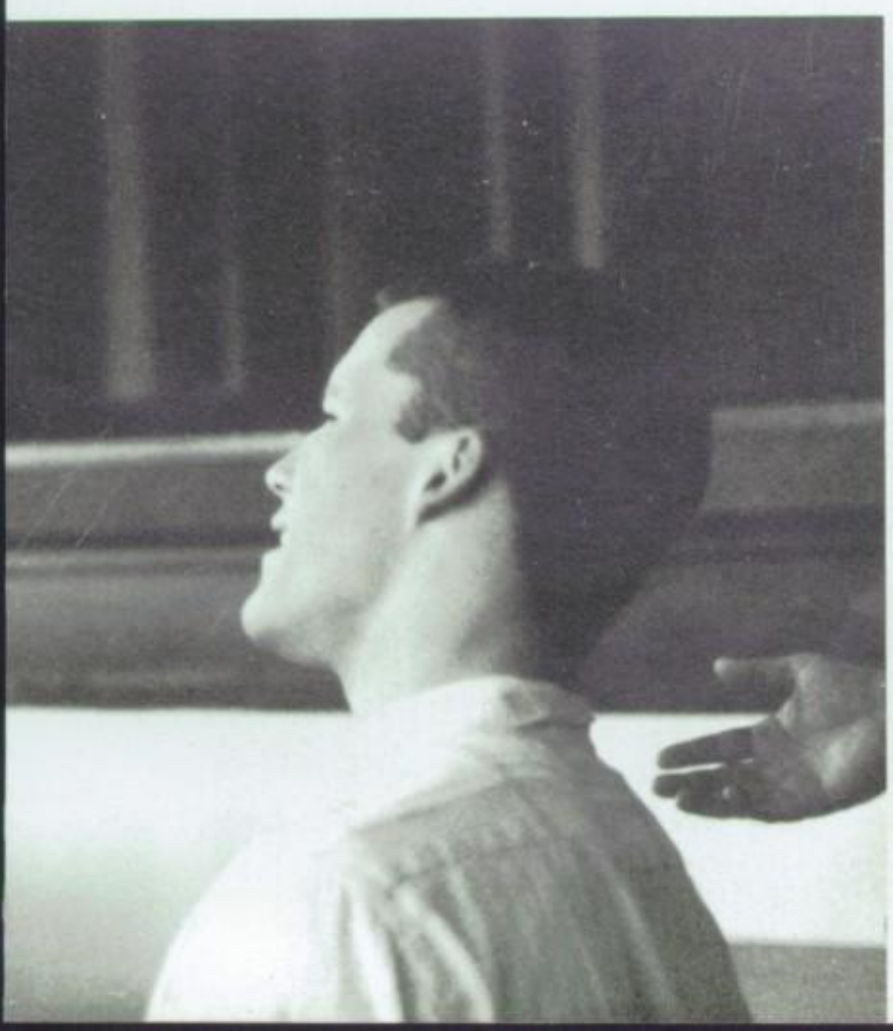


Below — FHA Sponsor Substitute Mrs. Cottle is pictured with club member Roberta Towle. FHA sold carnations on Valentine's Day to the student body.

CHRISTMAS SPIRIT FILLS THE AIR



This year's Christmas Assembly turned out to be a very exciting one. There were few entries, but the ones that were performed were great. Above is the Merry Monahan Duo — Marcy and Erin lip-synching a song. Above right is a picture of Mrs. Stiff's girls doing their own type of aerobics. Below Left — the freshman football team singing "Rudolf the Red Nosed Reindeer" as the tradition has always been. Below right is Kevin Bushu singing "You've Lost That Loving Feeling" to Tisha Clark. On the opposite page top is Mrs. Lister showing off that "well-known" Christmas Hat. Below her the high school faculty sings their own rendition of "The Twelve Days of Christmas." Bottom right is Mr. Fox posing for the camera in, yes, that Christmas Hat.



DRAMA ENHANCES SCHOOL YEAR EVENTS

OUR MALE CAST — Front: Fairfax Kisslebergh, hero (Jason Butler), Basil Barrington (Nathan Roberts), Hilary Paine (Craig Widder). Back: Dawson, the butler (Jason Yoder), Gaylord Duckworth, villain (Eric Butler).

AHS STUDENT BODY ENJOYS DRAMA

After the sudden death of Hilary Paine, his wife, Pansy Paine, (Colleen Monahan) meets Hedda Barrington (Jennie Edwards). They discuss their grief with Midge Paine (Brandi Meyers) and sister Marcella Paine (Jayne Goben).

Marcella Paine heatedly discussing her sister's, Midge Paine, condition with the nurse, (Above Left). Above Right — Dawson, the Butler, holding a bomb from Gaylord Duckworth, the villain, meant for the hero, Fairfax Kisslebergh, and discussing it with Basil. Below — The villain, Gaylord, attempts to force heroine, Pansy Paine to kiss him when the hero, Fairfax, saves the fair damsel.

MOCK WEDDING TEACHES STUDENTS THE UPS AND DOWNS

"WE'VE ONLY JUST BEGUN" was the theme of this year's Mock Wedding. Far Left — Adriana Herrera and Mark Shafer play the part of the Bride and Groom in the wedding. Above Left — Flower Girl and Ring Bearer stand with Bride's Maid Taisha Bright and Minister, Julie Good. Right — Tammie Embry and Julie Richardson pose as Bridesmaids.

Kerri Arrol and Kevin Bushu

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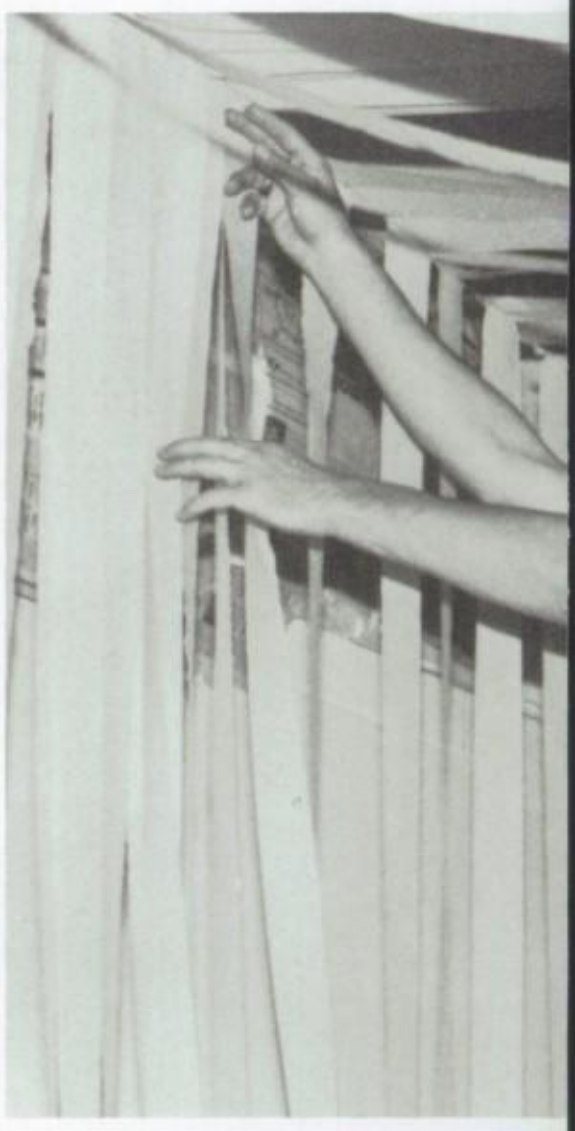
HOMECOMING 1987

Laura Moore and Shandon Smith

Leann Pool and Toby Sylvester



The Excitement of Homecoming

Above — Crownbearers Matthew Clark and Michaela Nave dance to "White Horses" the theme song for the homecoming dance. Jason Butler decorates the auditorium with much enthusiasm. The 1987-88 homecoming court. Below — Brett Keller enjoys preparing for the dance. Sophomore homecoming attendants Allison Fishel and Brett Keller enjoy the homecoming dance. Homecoming candidates Kerri Arrol and Toby Slyvester enjoy a slow dance.

Dances its way into AHS Spirit

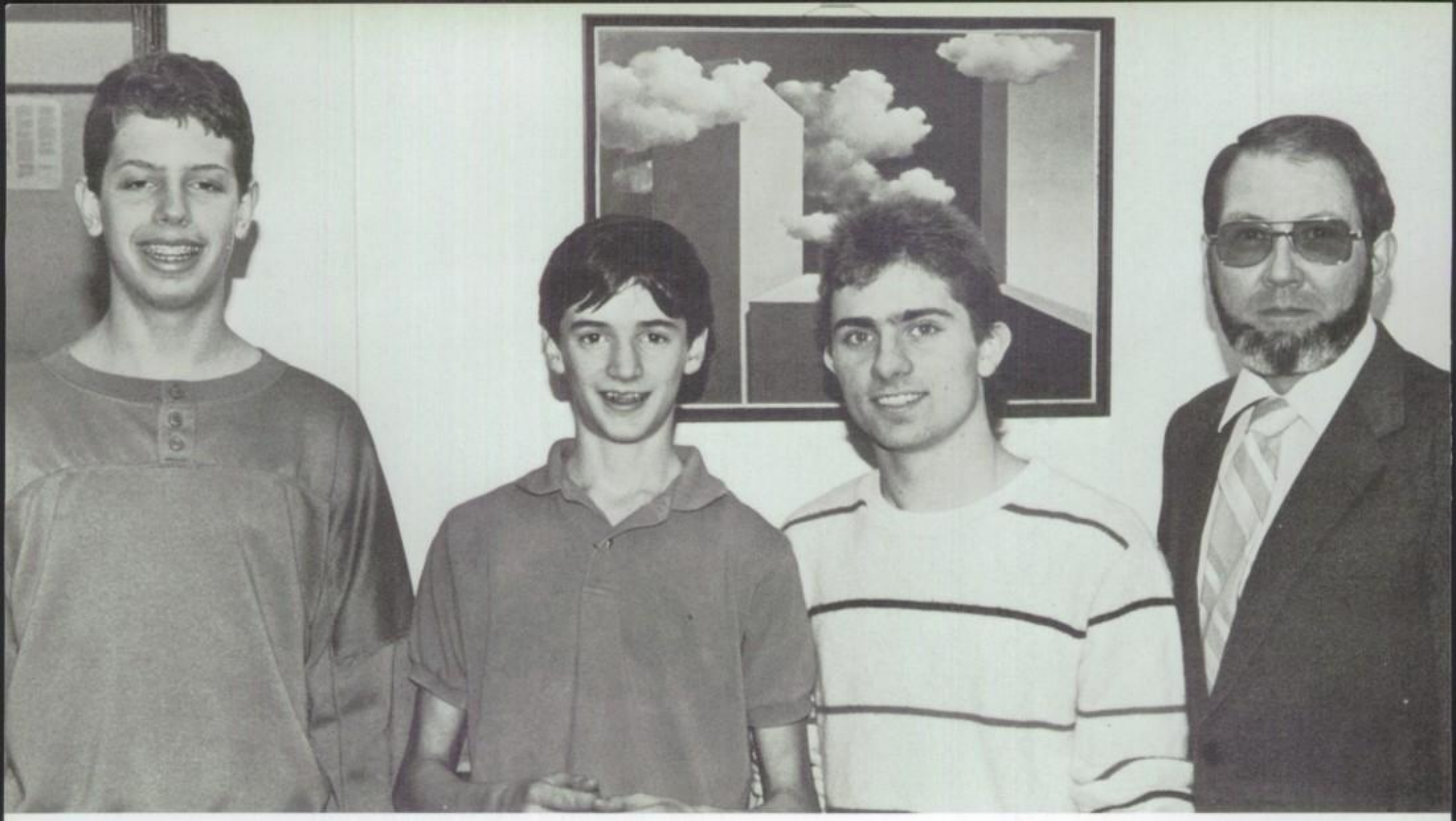
MORE SPECIAL EVENTS HAPPEN AT AHS

Above — SCHOLASTIC BOWL WINNERS Eric Butler, Jason Rankin, Jodi Henderson and Vanessa Reese display their plaque of achievement.

Home Ec. Substitute Mrs. Cottle is given a surprise party by her students to say "thank you" and "good-bye."

A very worthwhile special event sponsored by National Honor Society is the Canned Food Drive. 4th place: Juniors 132, 3rd place: Sophomores 173, 2nd place: Seniors 210 and 1st place: Freshmen 265 with a total of 780 cans of food donated.

The American Field Service, Library and Spanish Clubs sponsored an event that everyone enjoyed . . . an International Dinner. Pictured Above — Rhonda Strange listens intently to an exchange student from Arthur.



AWARDS, DANCES AND DINNERS ARE ONLY A PART OF SPECIAL EVENTS

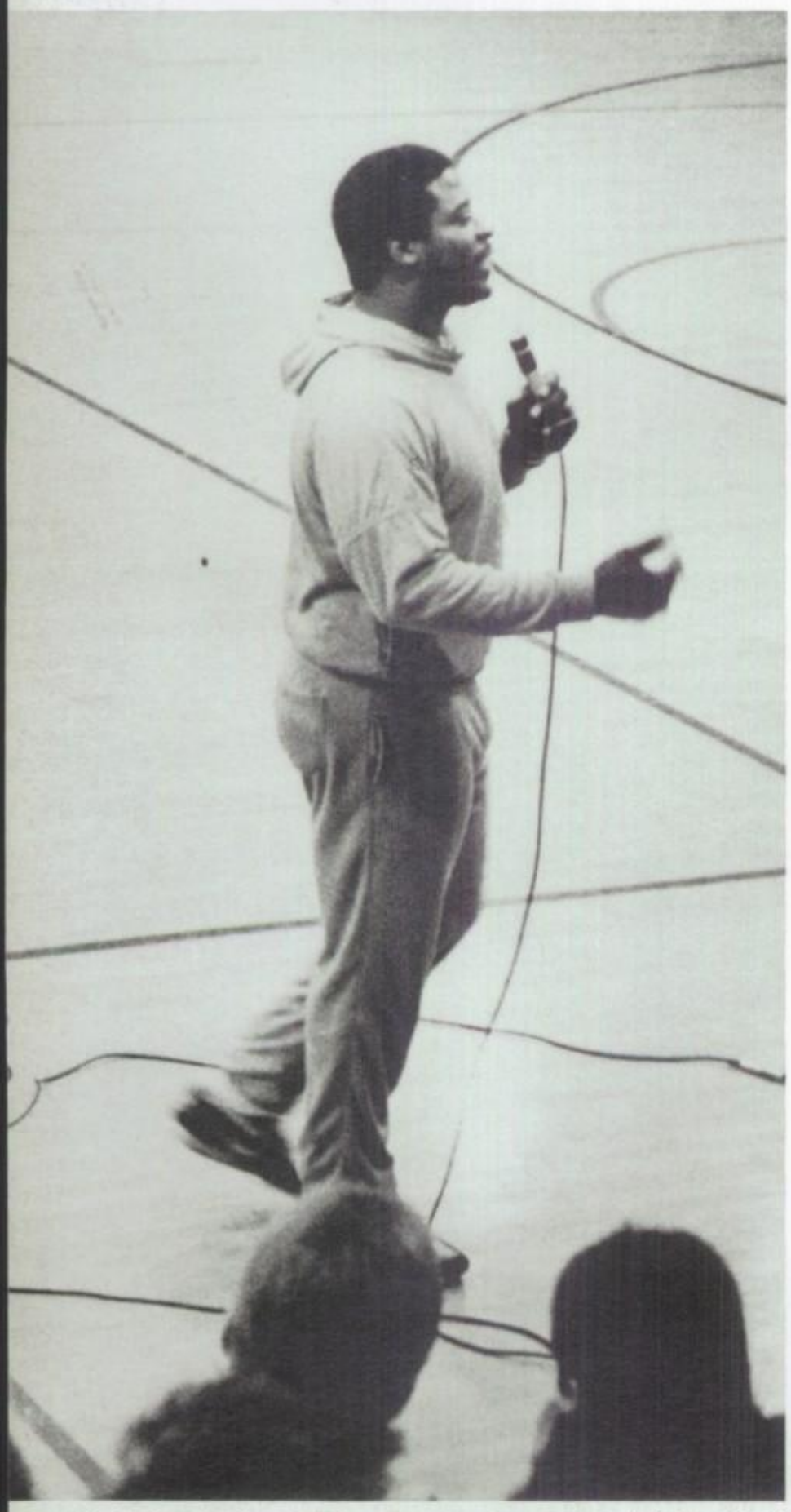
One of the special events that took place during the year was a math contest hosted by Parkland College in Champaign. Pictured Above — Devon Weller, Dan Monahan, Nathan Roberts and Math Instructor, Mr. Fox pose for a photo displaying their winning medallions for excellence in the contest. Right — Senior Mark Clark takes advantage of Student Appreciation Day in Miss Morton's English Class. Students were invited to bring a morning snack but, Mark brought . . . *breakfast,* even including candlelight to eat by. Some special events are annual but, a few are created new each year and may not occur again. Sponsors as well as students are continually trying to think of new events for participation to help make the year more interesting. Teachers receive information through the mail or at workshops that give them inspiration for new ideas. Also, events that are chosen often are picked because it will include a cross section of the entire student body so that the majority of students will be able to be involved at one point or another.

Above — Industrial Arts Instructor Mr. Strange describes a particular piece of machinery in his classroom used to create some of the work that was on display during the annual Industrial Arts Show at Arcola High School this spring.

One of the special highlights this year was "Student Appreciation Day." Above — students dance to a band that was hired for an assembly by the Art Club and Student Council.

STUDENTS LEARN FROM SPECIAL EVENTS

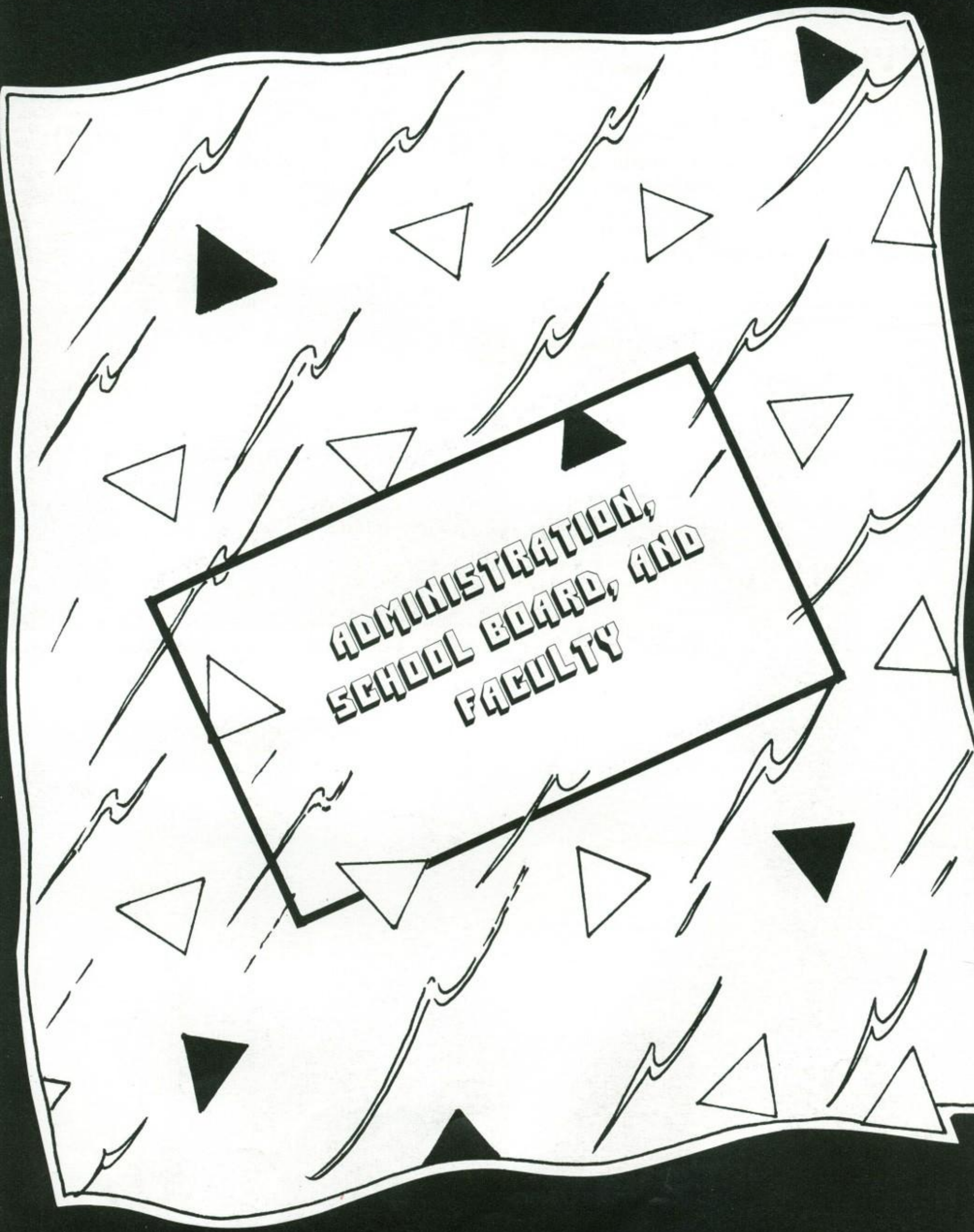
Many Special Events that occur during the year are "learning experiences" for our student body . . . How to sell a particular item to earn money, dinners that require manners and grace, or just plain listening to important information about life in general.



Students were inspired by a very moving event called "Say No!" The guest speaker Eddie Holt provided students with some things to think about when they are confronted with drugs or other substances.

Seniors enjoy a meal provided by Beta Sigma Phi as a way of saying "Good Luck.

FHA students are busy selling mums for a money making project. Laura Moor takes Mark Clark's order in the photo above.


ADMINISTRATION,
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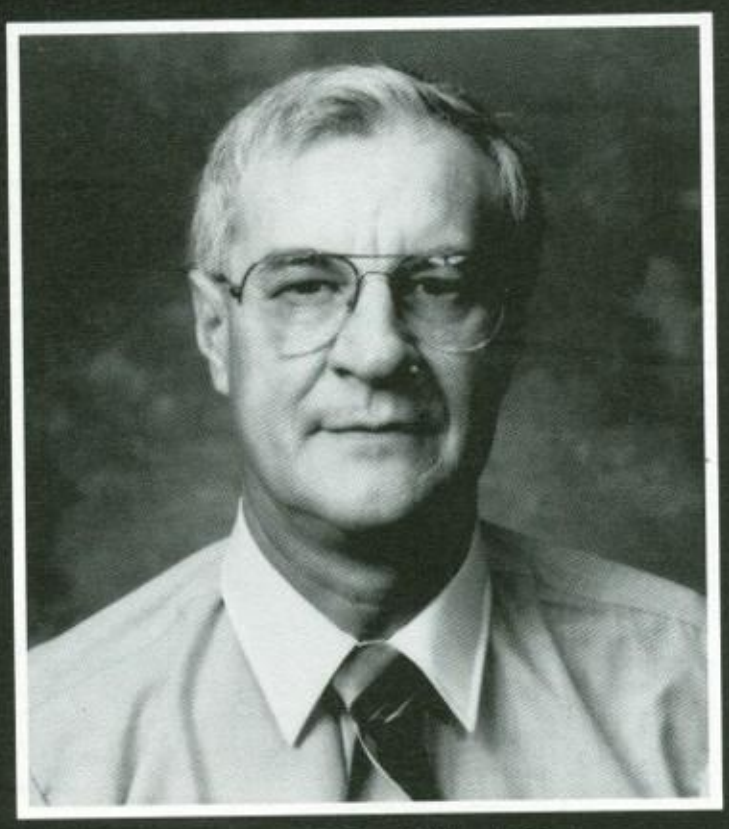
FACULTY

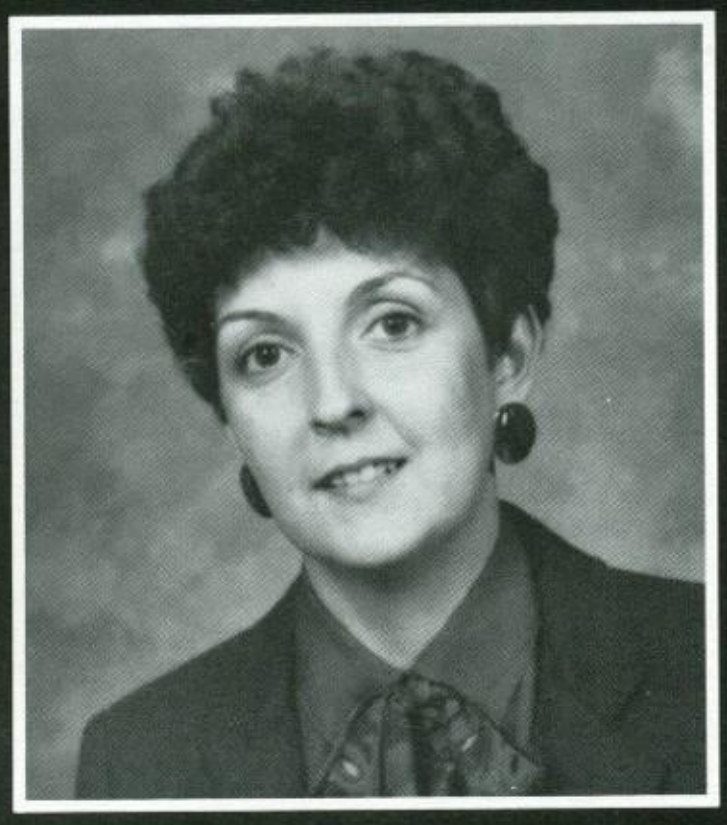
Superintendent — Mr. Jay Storzum



Principal — Mr. Millard Goben

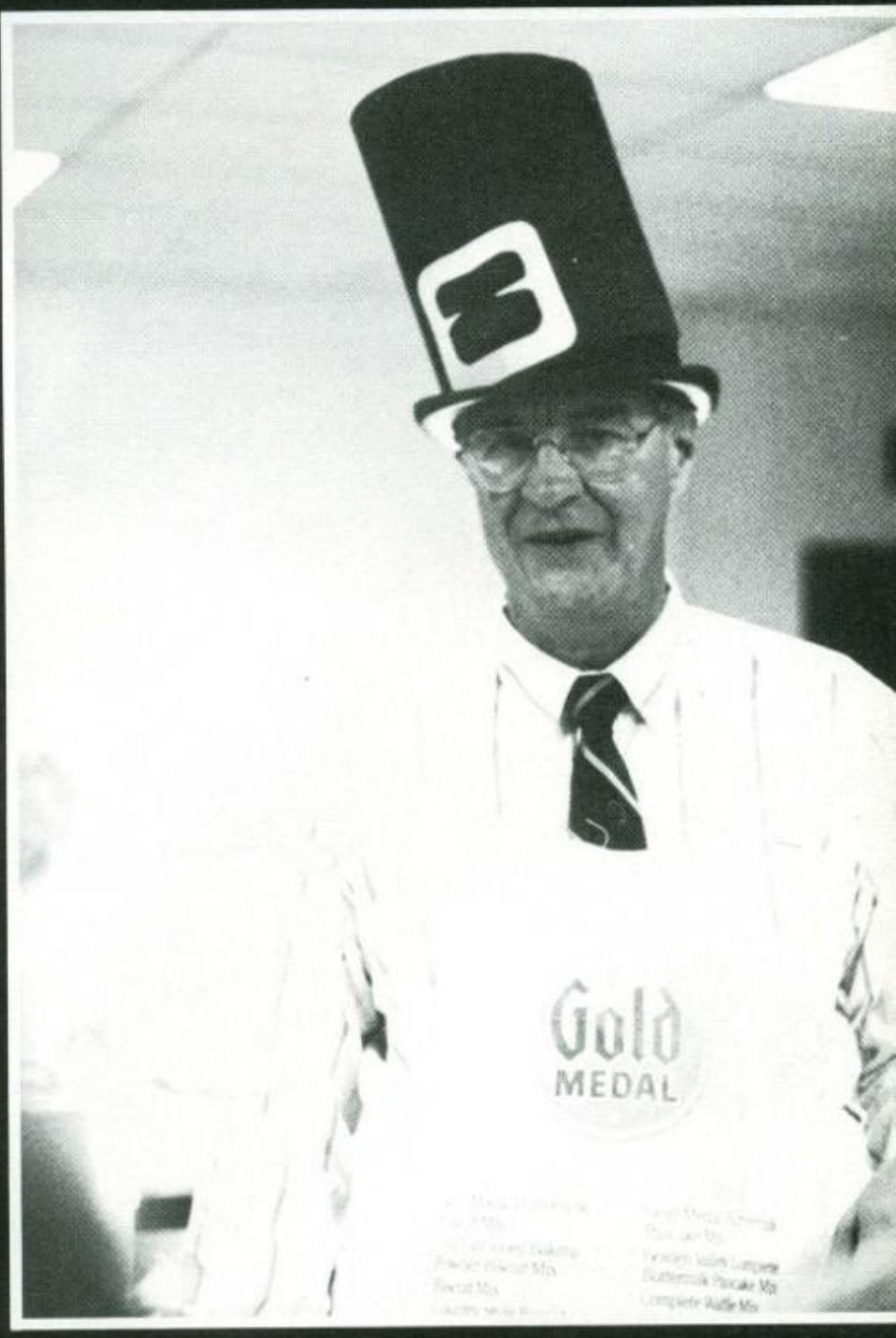
OUR 1988 SCHOOL BOARD — L. to R.: Ron Gardner, Jack Sphar, JoEllen Monahan, Kenneth Hohlbauch. Front: Dick Weller, Larry Conlin, Bill Nacke.

High School Secretary: Mrs. Nancy Mathias.



Unit Secretary: Mrs. Sandy Arthur.

Our administrators and secretaries at AHS work very hard throughout the year to keep things running smoothly.



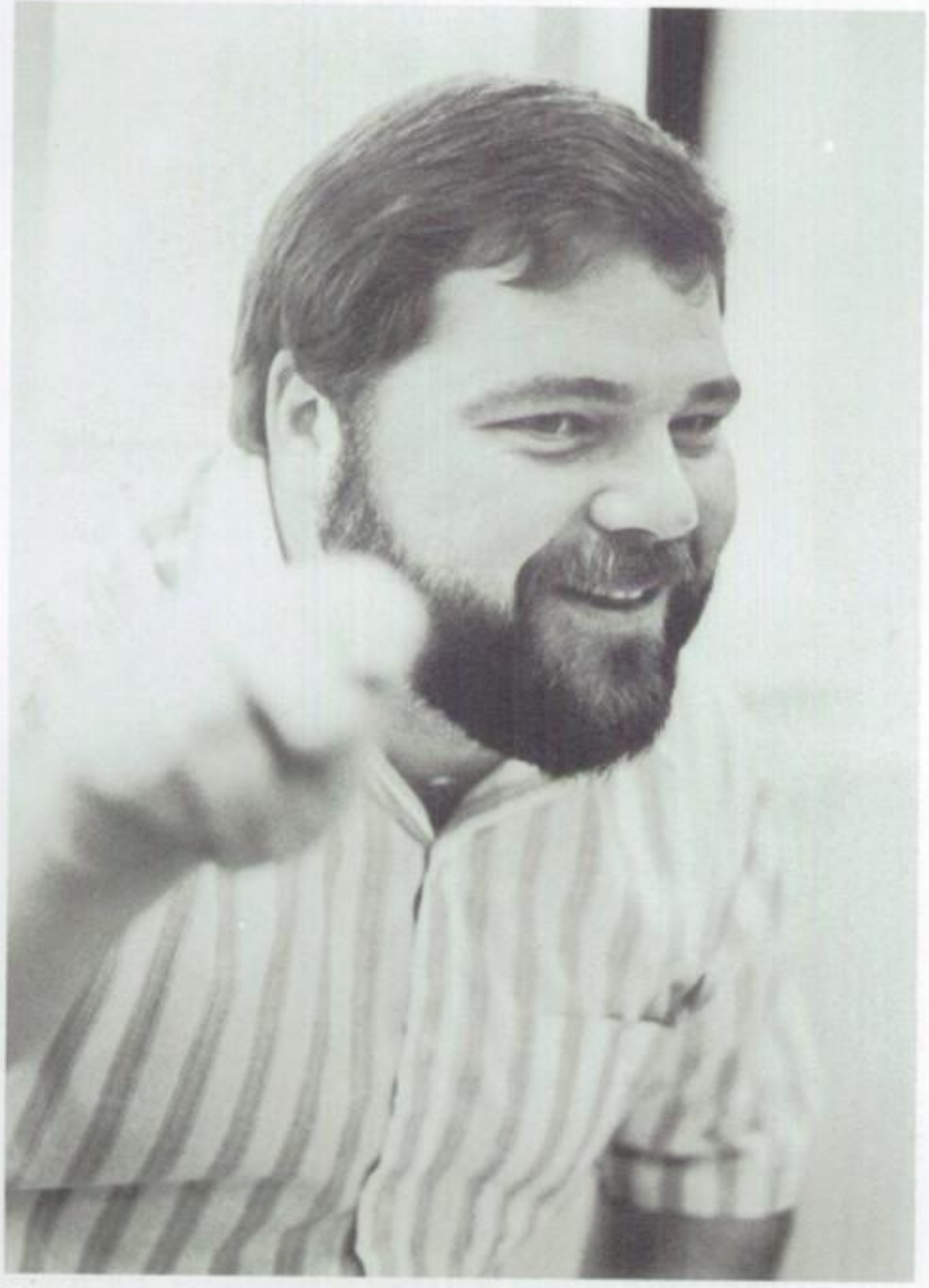
Mr. Goben is pictured above serving the annual "Turkey Dinner" at Thanksgiving.

FACULTY SHOWS THE SPIRIT OF CARING

Students find at AHS some of their best friends are their teachers.

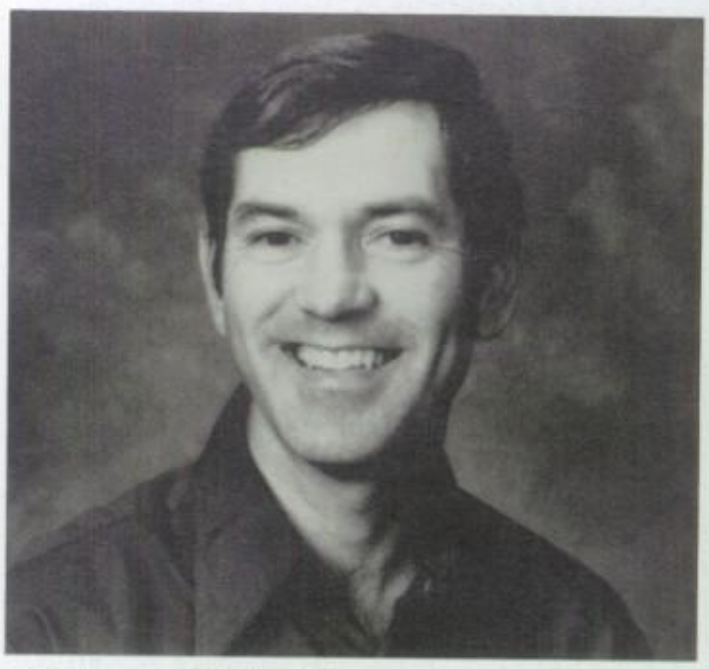
Mr. Fay is captured by the camera with what else, but his paisley tie and the American Flag.

English Teacher Jeannie Shaffer motivates her class with her warm personality.



Band Instructor Mr. McCausland flashes that sweet little smile of his.

Spanish Teacher: Mrs. McKittrick



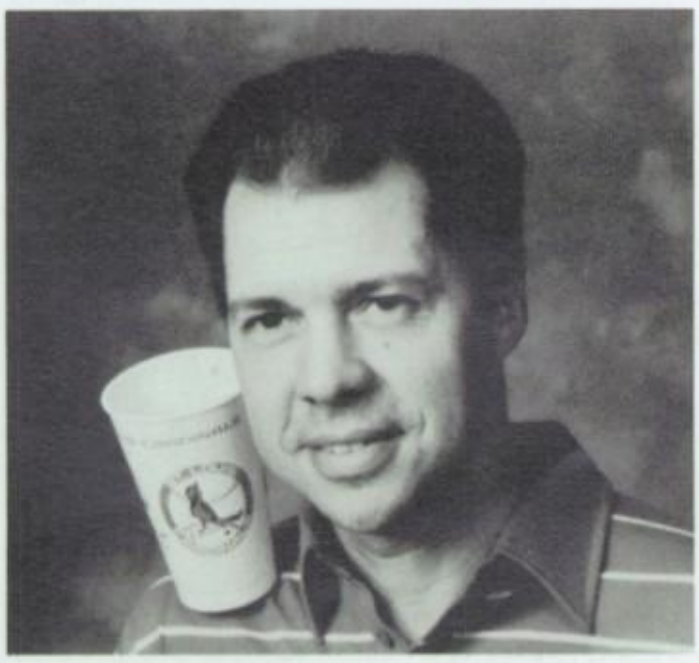
Math teacher Mr. Joe Murray takes time for a year-book photo.

PRESENTING A FACULTY *THAT CANNOT BE BEAT*

Pictured Above is our Librarian Miss Edith Floyd, one of the student body's favorite teachers.

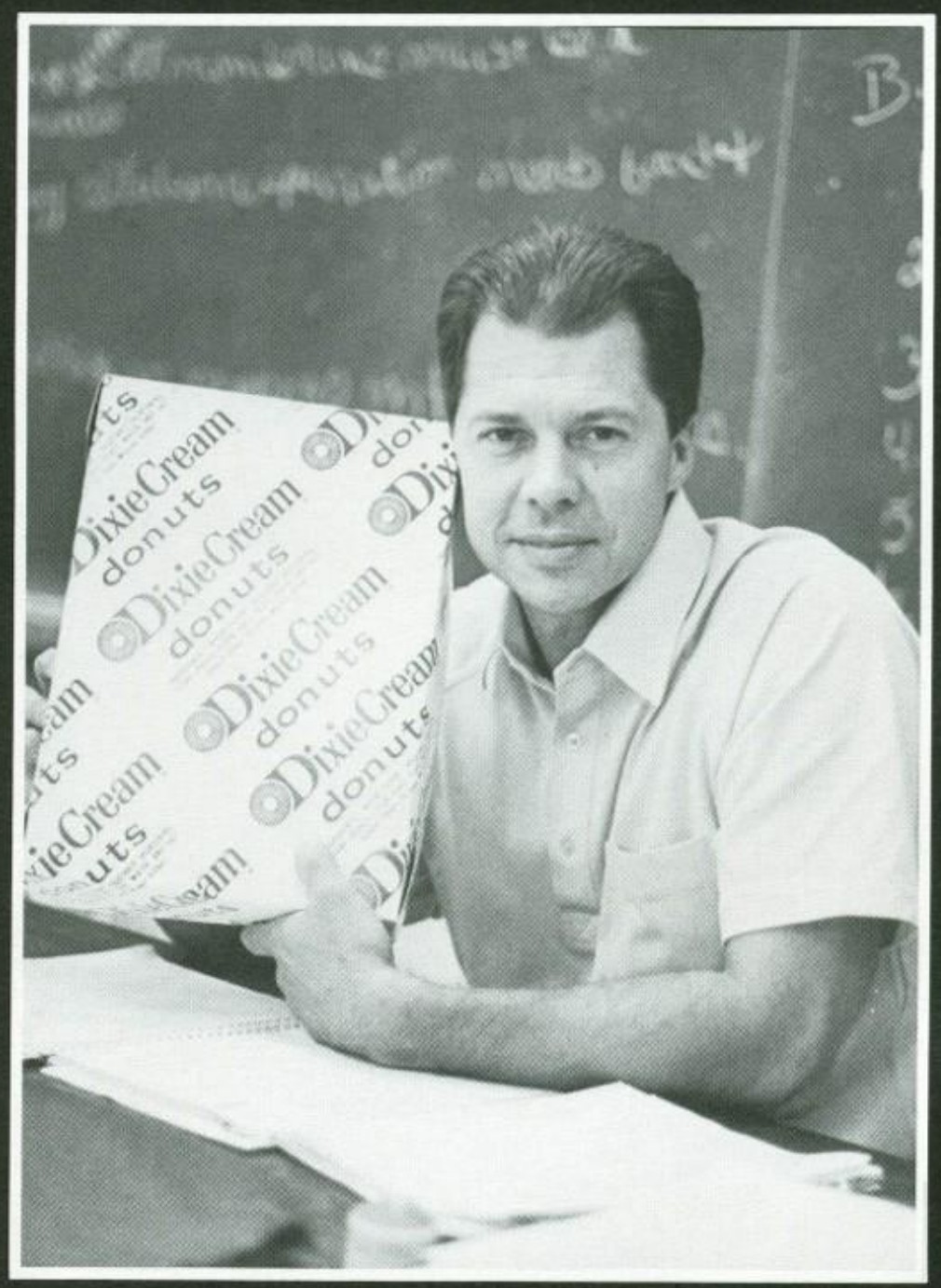
Home Ec. Instructor Mrs. Kathy Lister.

Art Teacher: Mrs. Darla Sluder

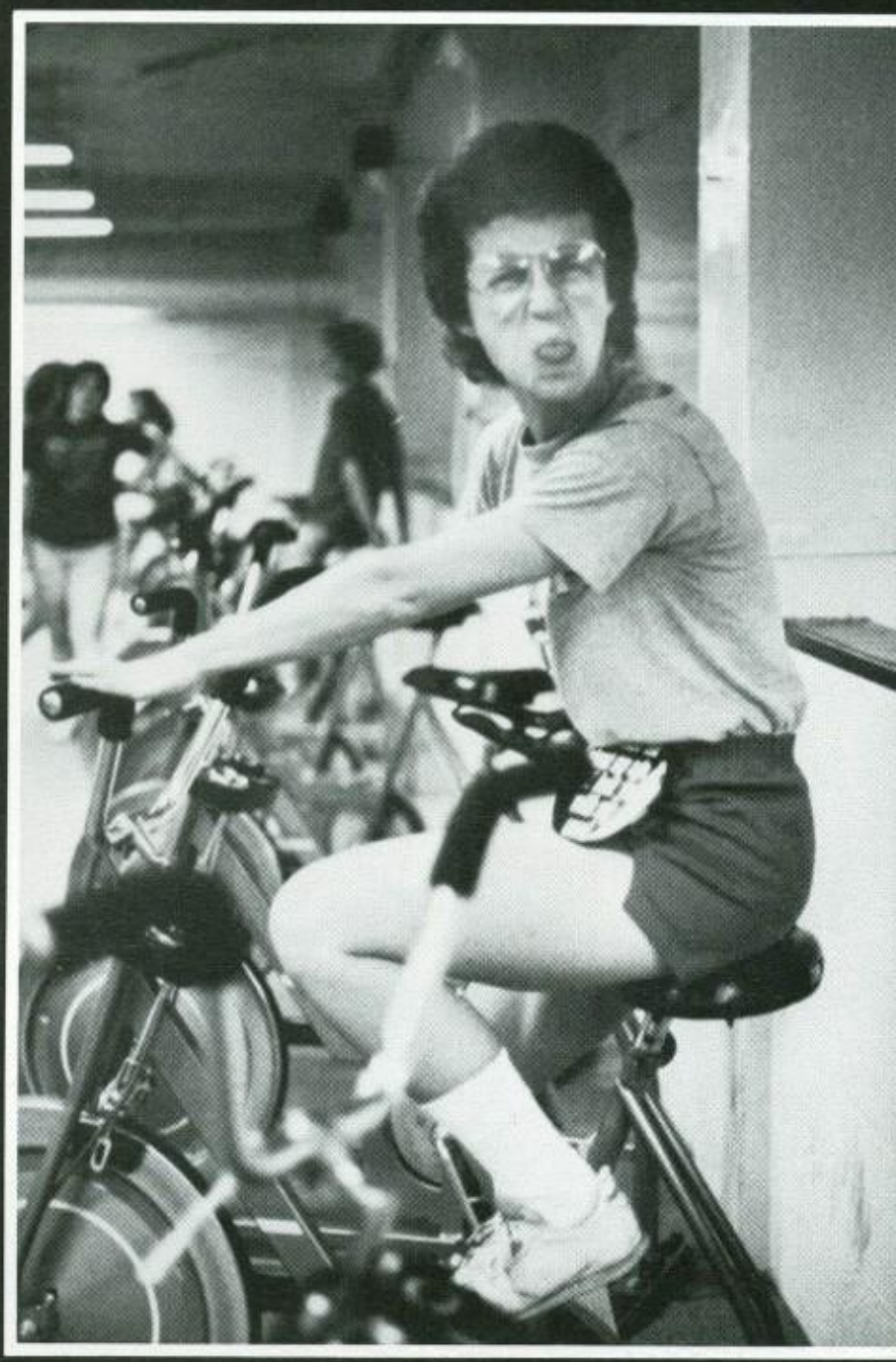


Science Teacher: Mr. Randy Rothrock.

Mr. Nave relaxes in the faculty lounge after a long day at AHS.



Our Teachers have great personalities . . . they know how to have fun . . . mixed with rules and regulations.



Miss Stiff kids around while exercising.

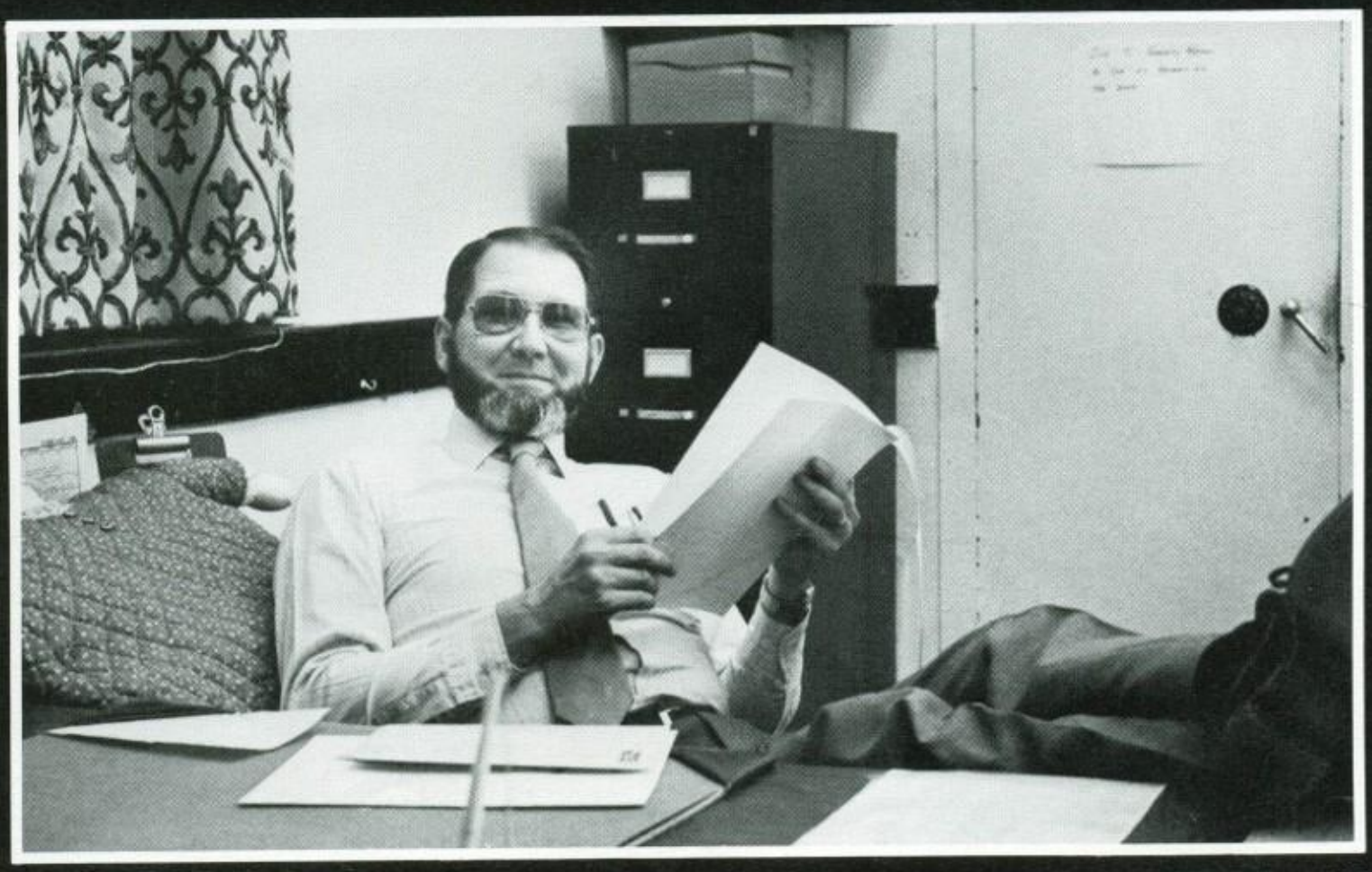
Mrs. Sluder hides behind a basket of flowers in her art room.

Miss Floyd tries to organize her office to make more room.

IMPRESSIVE . . . THAT'S OUR FACULTY

Teachers are a rare group of people. They work very hard to organize their classrooms, prepare lesson plans and to be sure that they are always on top of things in classroom discussions. Our faculty is no exception, in fact, they are probably the best group of teachers in this area because they are also fun in the classroom which helps to make the year zip by quickly.

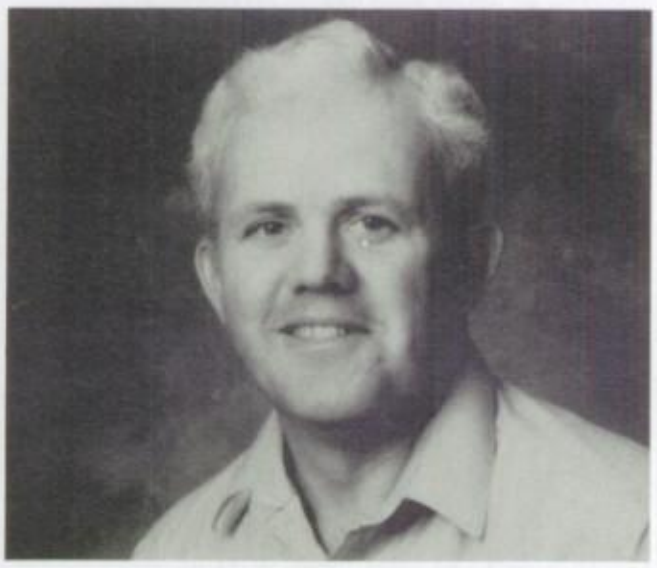
Mr. Fay poses with Miss Morton and Mrs. Lister in the faculty lounge. Notice that his 4-H hat does not match his paisley tie . . . oh well, he is still a great teacher.



Mr. Fox kids around in the office by putting his feet on a desk as he relaxes.

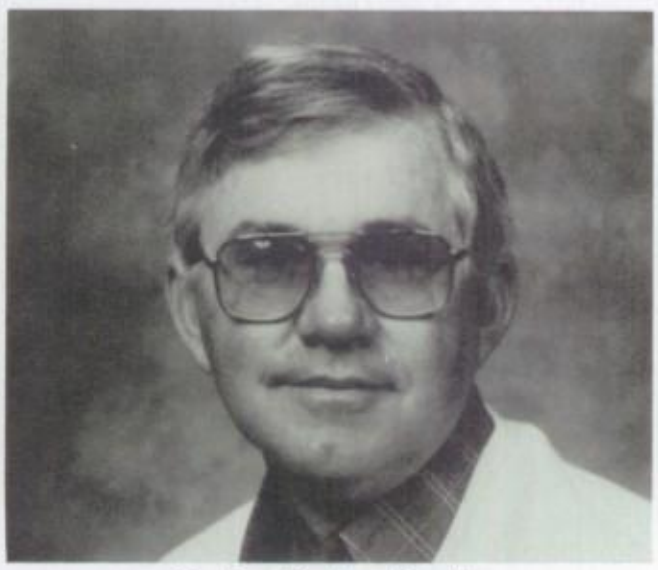
TEACHERS INSPIRE STUDENTS

Miss Morton — English

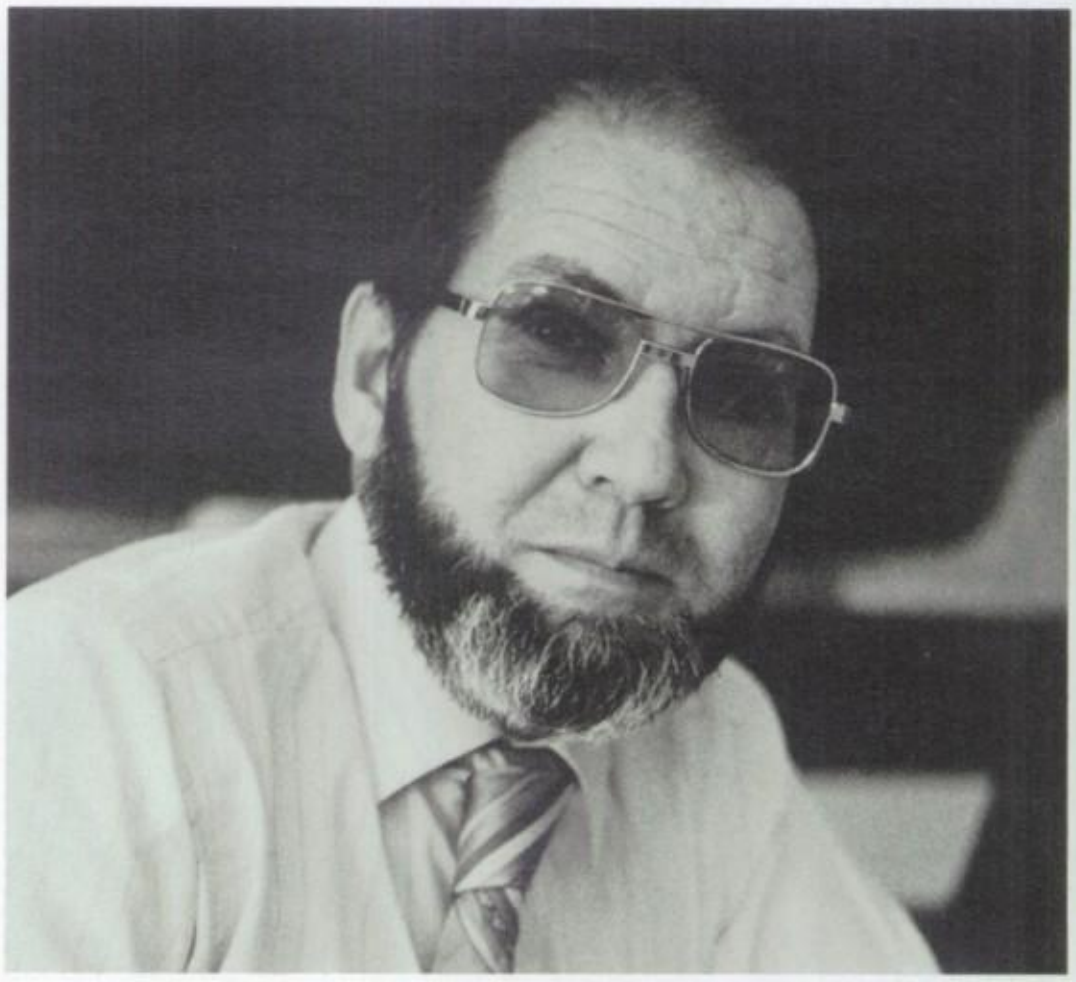


Mr. Strange — Industrial Arts

Mrs. Eskridge — Special Resource



Mr. Bradford — Health



Mr. Fox spends many hours preparing lesson plans and grading papers.

Mrs. Cathy Pflum organizes her desk for her next group of students.

Miss Stiff — P.E.

Mrs. Lockett — Business

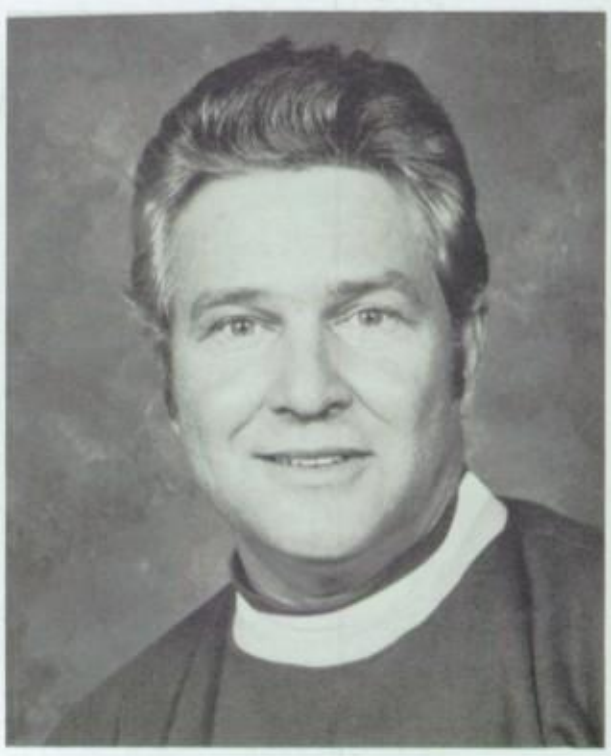
Miss Richard — Science and Math

Mr. Marks — Computers

Mrs. Joyce Thompson — Guidance

Moans and groans can be heard throughout classrooms as teachers assign homework. Books slam closed, classroom doors swing open as students leave each class heading for their locker. Teachers have a big responsibility for educating the students at AHS. But, at the close of each year seniors stand thanking teachers for homework that has prepared them for the real world that awaits them.

Mr. Alburtus — Drama

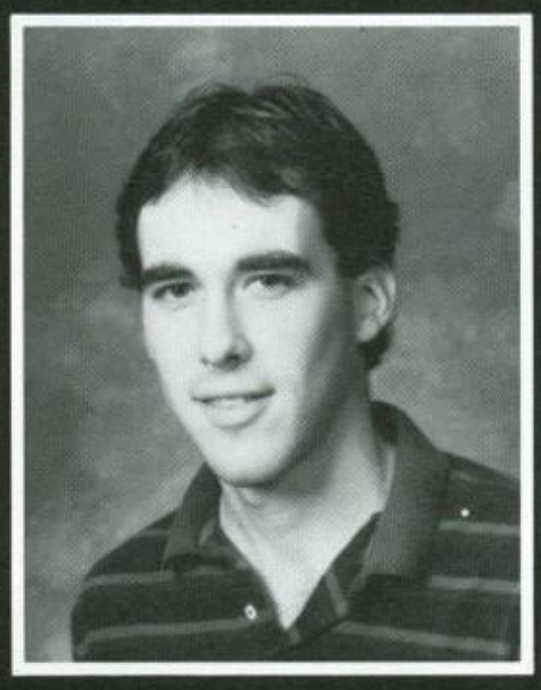


Mr. Thomas — P.E.

THE SPIRIT THAT KEEPS OUR SCHOOL

Our Janitors, Cooks and we couldn't forget our student teachers all help to keep our school running smoothly throughout the year and, they deserve a lot of credit.

Art — Renee Eads



Health — Dwight Durall

Top — Physical Education — Leanne Cottrell. L-R: English — Mathew Boland and Math — Melinda Farmer.

Janitors: L-R: Carl Suding and Mick

RUNNING SMOOTHLY

Business — Brenda Skidmore

Cook — Martha Vickroy

Above are the ladies who prepare our lunches each day. L-R: Diane Baker, Bert Endle, Theresa Martin. Seated: Head Cook — Rita Lammers.

With their faces beaming with delight, Marcy Monahan and Nicki Nacke stand guard over their "Teacher Catch" wrapped in crepe paper . . . can you guess who?

ADDITIONAL SPORTS

TRACK IS AHS'S ANSWER TO REAL SPIRIT

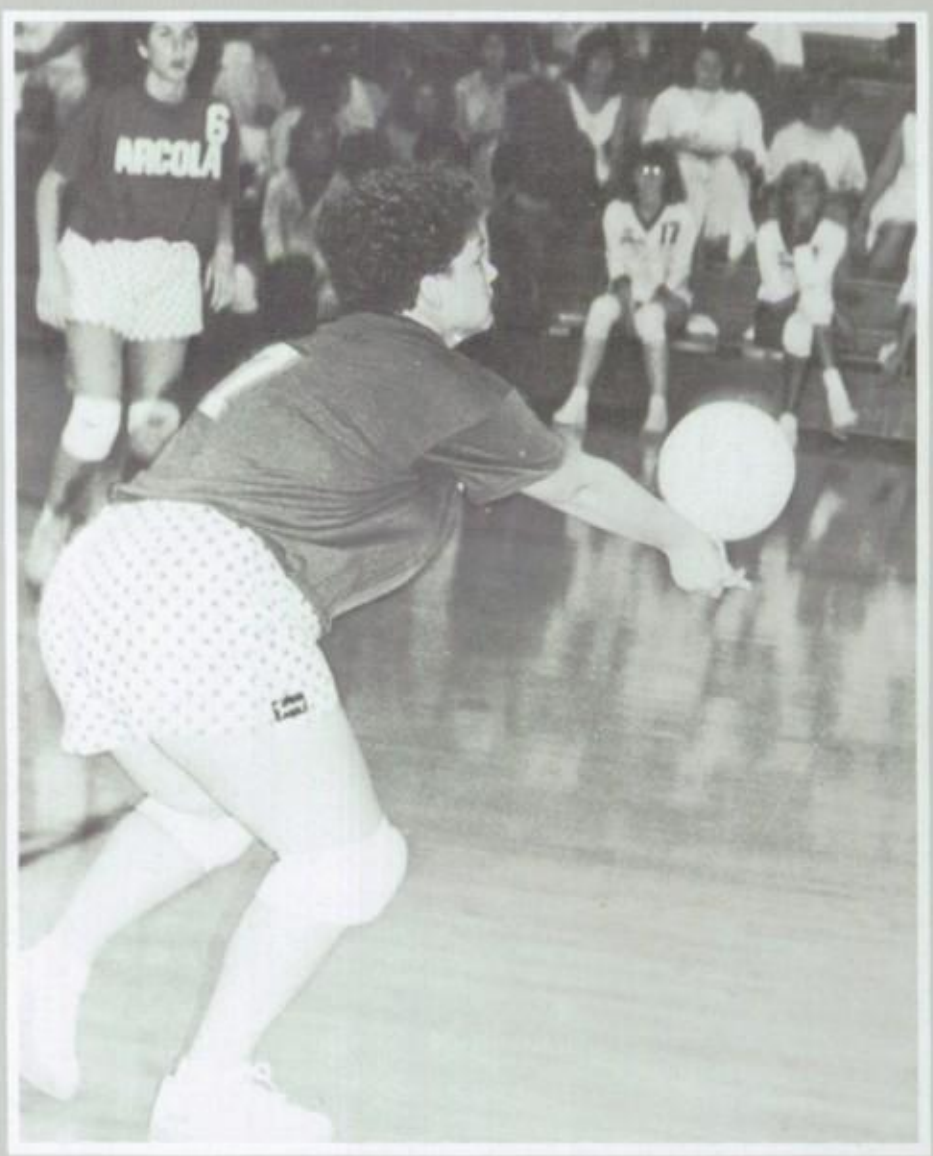
Pictured Above — Paul Sisk, Allen Hershberger, Mike Patridge, Cody Richey, Nathan Roberts, Max Sexson, Heath Baumann, Matt Monahan, Brett Keller, and Chad Hopkins.

Pictured Above — Erin Monahan, Katrina Winch, Grace Eadie, Coach Thomas, Jenny Furlong, Darla Biggs, Michelle Anderson, and Jami Jones.

New coach inspires Lady Riders to

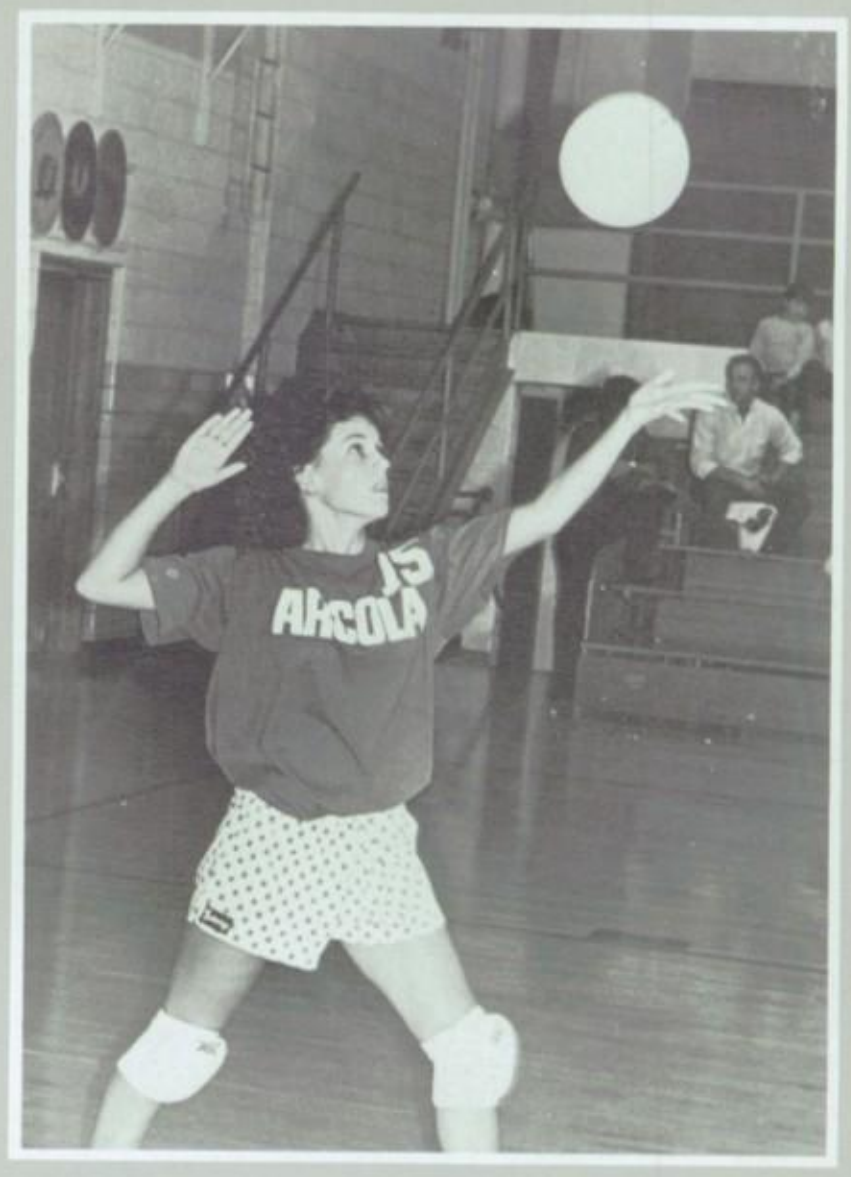
With a new coach, new attitudes, and new uniforms, the Lady Riders made volleyball a fun sport for the fans to watch. Coach Deterding stressed the importance of fundamentals, which, after having to relearn them, won many victories for Arcola. The Lady Riders finished the season with an impressive 19-7 record and placed third in the LOVC Tournament. After many hours of practice, the dedication and hard work proved worthy for this year's volleyball team.

To the right is Nancy Strange, a very valuable player on the Varsity squad, demonstrating a proper bump. Above is the Varsity team, casually sporting their new uniforms. Back Row, Left to Right: Laura Moore, Kendall Hohlbauch, Jayne Goben, Lisa Goble, Nancy Strange, Tiffany Rollings, and Coach Deterding. Front Row, Left to Right: Erin Monahan, Leann Pool, Amy Fishel, and Nicki Nacke.



VICTORY!

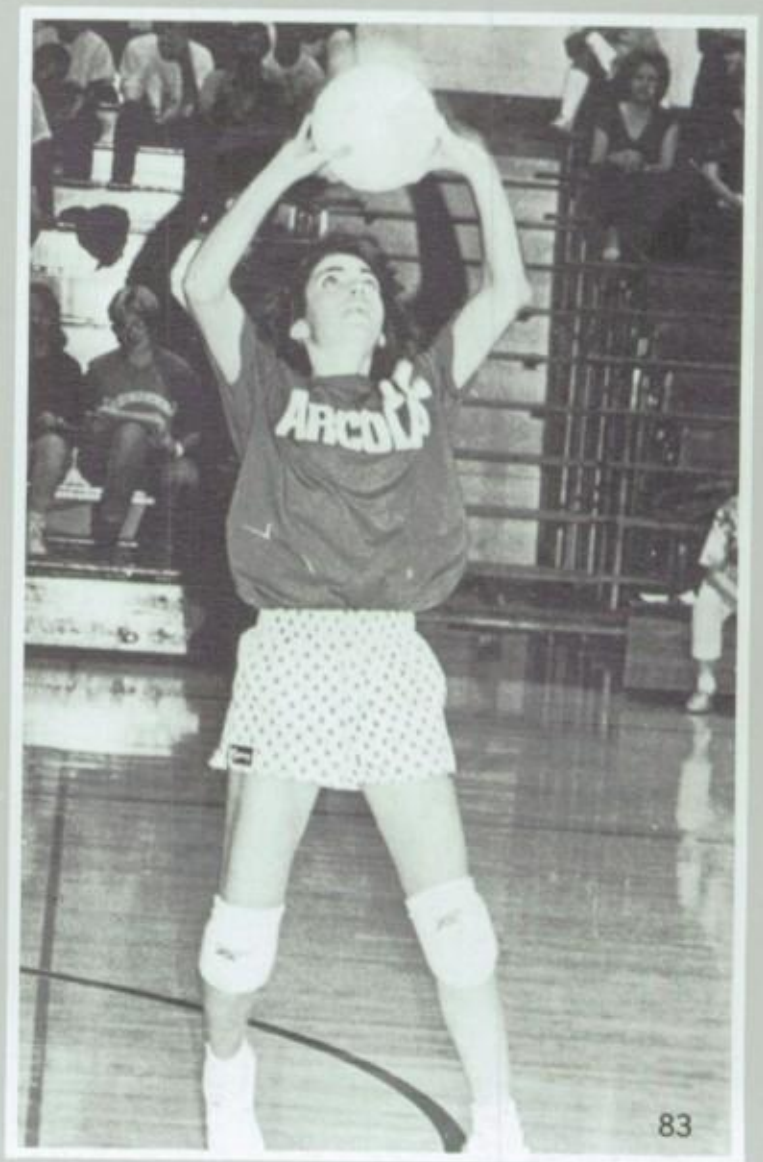
Lisa Goble receives a serve as Leann Pool watches on.



Nicki Nacke keeps an eye on the ball as she serves.

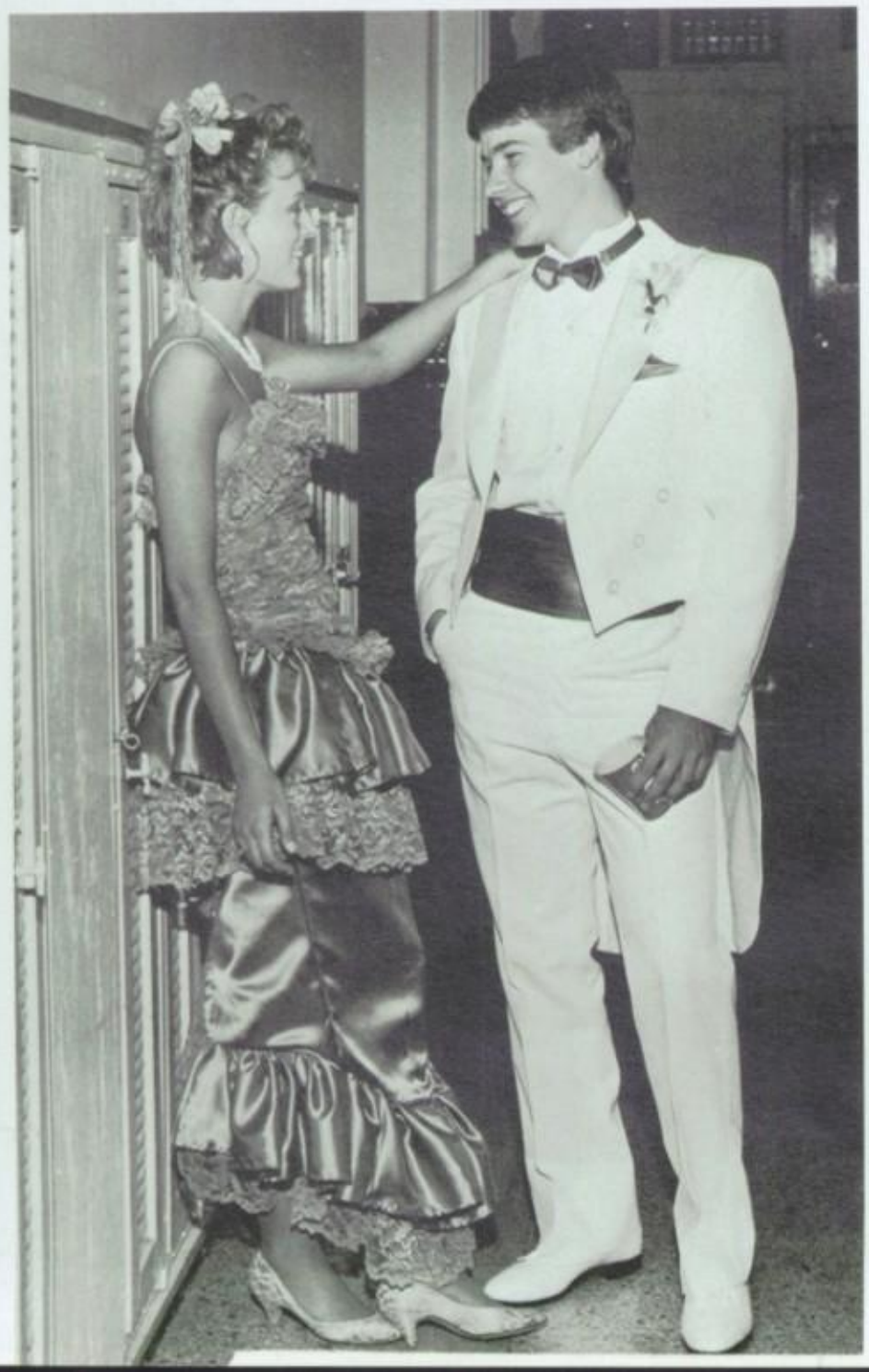
NO WALLS

bove — a jubilant Arcola squad celebrates after their defeat of Tuscola. One of the team's oals at the beginning of the year was to beat Tuscola; the goal was finally fulfilled. To the right Varsity setter Laura Moore setting the ball for a kill in a game against Arthur in the LOVC ournament. Laura is a senior who participated in volleyball for three years.



MEMORIES OF ANGEL '88

The candidates were chosen by the Junior Class. These are the candidates they picked: Above — Laura Moore and Toby Sylvester. Above, Right — Leigh Anne Sphar and Marty Culp. To the right are candidates Monica Willison and Eric Butler. Below — Erin Monahan and Shannon Gordon. Below — tight, Leann Pool and Shandon Smith. Everyone on the court looked great and made everyone proud that they were chosen. Marty and Monica were crowned King and Queen later on that night.



Pictured above is the Prom Court — with Queen, Monica Willison, and King, Marty Culp. To the left is Brett Keller talking with his date Leigh Anne Sphar. Below is Katrina Hall, the emcee of the ceremonies. Congratulations Marty and Monica!

MORE MEMORIES OF PROM

Everyone at Prom had a great time. The band, "Maybe Later," played a variety of songs to dance to. The Junior Class did a good job decorating the auditorium and putting the whole prom together. The theme of the dance was "Angel." The cool breeze from outside made it pleasant inside.

Jenni Vyverberg decorates for the dance.

Mindy Switzer smiles for the camera.

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STUDENTS DISPLAY THE SPIRIT OF ACHIEVEMENT

National Honor Society	Kevin Bushu, Kerri Jo Arrol, Eric Butler, Hollene Eadie, Amy Fishel, Lisa Goble, Shannon Gordon, Erin Monahan, Laura Moore, Nancy Strange, and Rhonda Strange
Valedictorian	Rhonda Strange
Salutatorian	Nancy Strange
Fine Arts Award	Hollene Eadie, Leigh Anne Sphar
Carrol Dunn Math Award	Eric Butler
Richard Smith Fine or Applied Arts Award	Hollene Eadie
Foreign Language Award	Rhonda Strange
Science Award	Kerri Jo Arrol, Nancy Strange
English Award	Rhonda Strange
Modesta Scott Social Science Award	Rhonda Strange
Industrial Arts Award	Doug Helmuth
Marty Thomas Scholarship	Kevin Bushu, Shannon Gordon, Leann Pool
Masonic Lodge Scholarship	Sabrina England
Mike Harvey Scholarship	Toby Sylvester
Illinois Student Librarian Scholarship	Rhonda Strange
American Legion Awards	Kerri Arrol, Eric Butler
Pete Magelli Outstanding Boy Athlete	Kevin Bushu
Outstanding Girl Athlete	Leann Pool
Service Award	Nancy Strange
DAR/SAR	Nancy Strange, Eric Butler
National Scholar/Athlete Award	Erin Monahan, Kevin Bushu
Illinois State Scholars	Kevin Bushu, Eric Butler
Thelma E. Connor Memorial Salutatorian	Nancy Strange

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Tammie Embry kids around by giving a sign that few know the meaning of . . . except her P.E. and Art Teacher.

CLASS FLOWER: White Rose
CLASS COLORS: Pink/Silver

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES
CLASS OF 1988
Friday, June 3, 1988

Processional	Arcola High School Band
"Pomp and Circumstance — Fanfare and Processional" — Elgar	
Invocation	Kevin Bushu
Summary	Kerri Arrol, Lisa Goble
Future Plans	Eric Butler
Community Message	Rev. Glen Bocox Arcola United Methodist Church
Arcola High School Chorus	Connie Guennewig, Director
"Dreams" — Spevacek Rhonda Strange — Accompanist	
Salutatorian Address	Nancy Strange
Valedictorian Address	Rhonda Strange
Presentation of the Class	Millard Goben, Principal
Presentation of the Diplomas	Jay Stortzum, Superintendent, Laurence G. Conlin, Jr., President of Board of Education, Jack Sphar, Member of Board of Education
Farewell	Erin Monahan
Benediction	Shannon Gordon
Recessional	Arcola High School Band
"Pomp and Circumstance — Fanfare and Recessional" — Elgar	

Stacy Carlberg sits atop a pillar in front of AHS and gives a wave of good-bye.

Graduation is a sad time but, also lots of fun as Leigh Ann Sphar shows us here.

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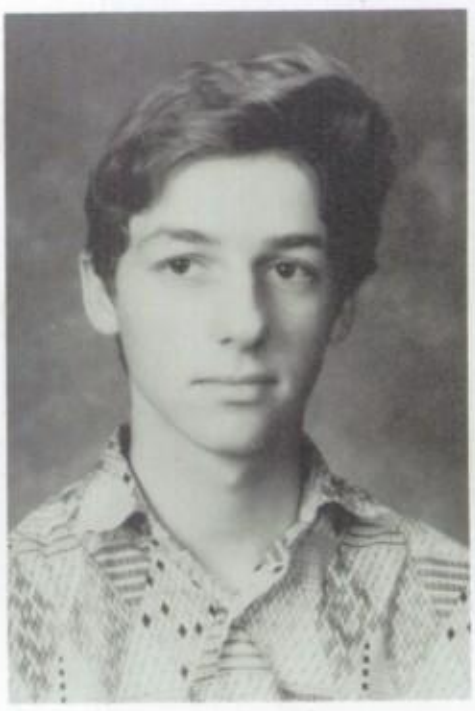
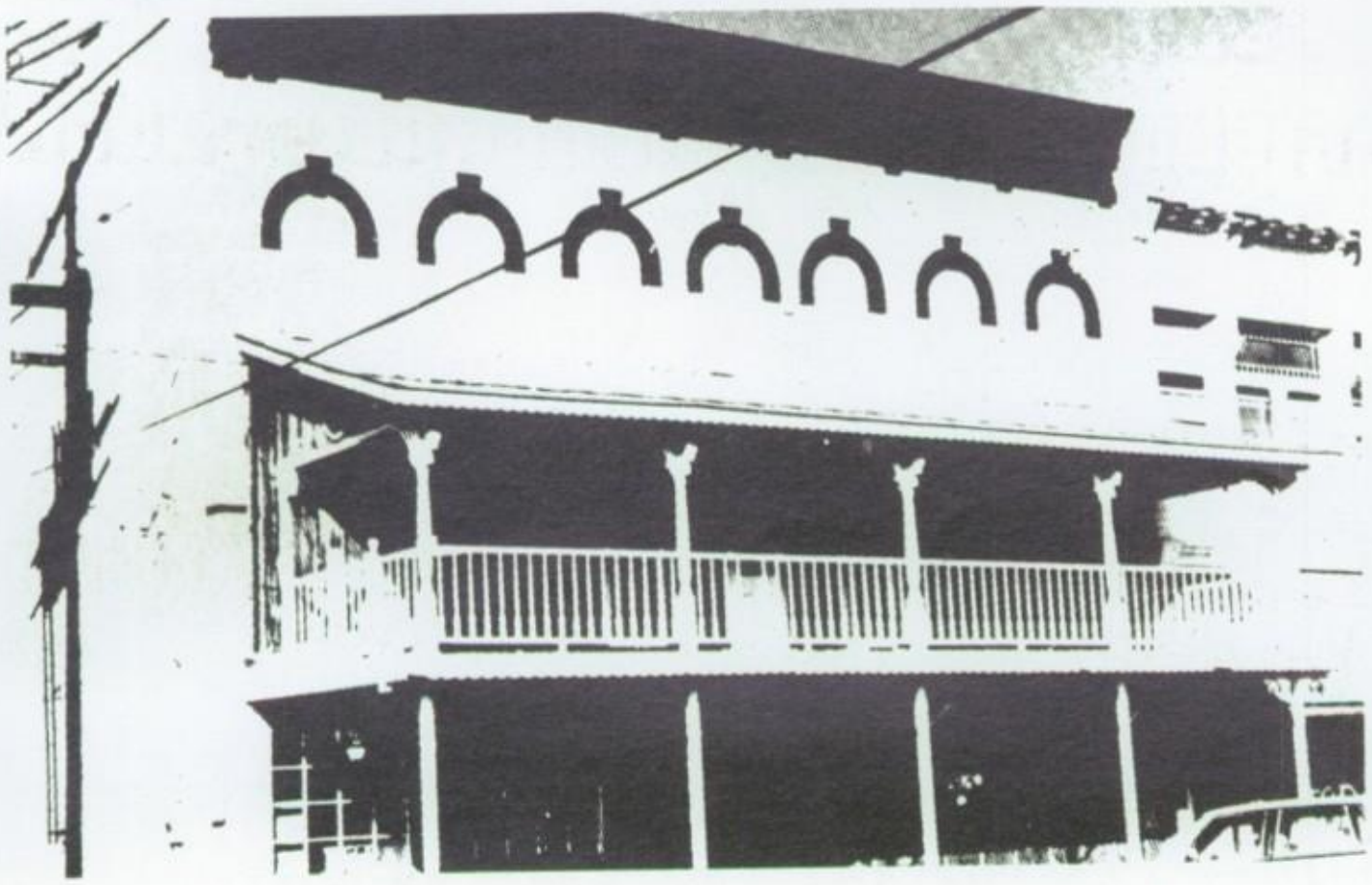
I like the united states as much as I like France- If I had to do it again, I would-

Goodbye everybody, and if I come back to the U.S. I'll stop by

Goodbye

Thomas Zumbiehl





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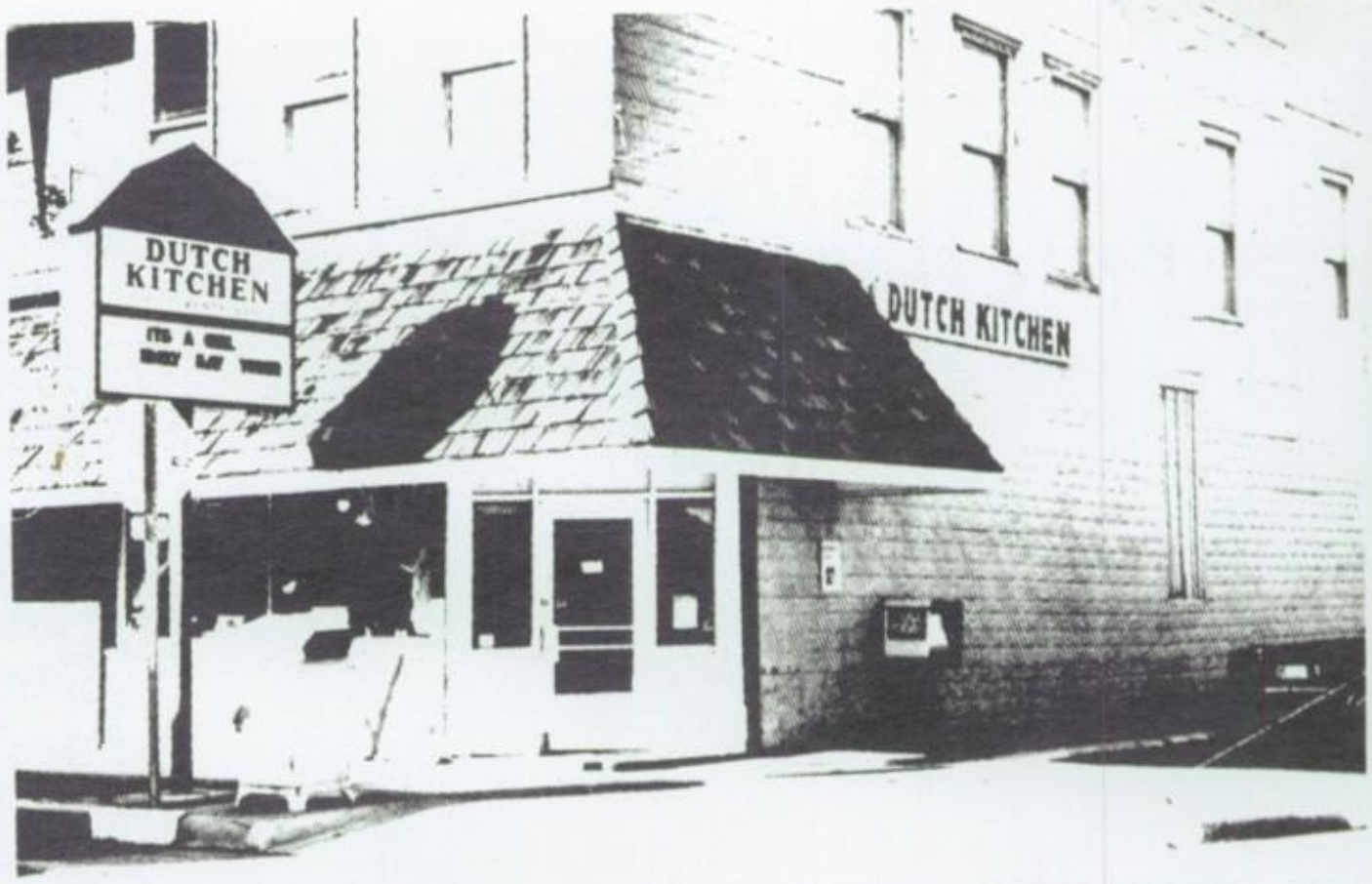

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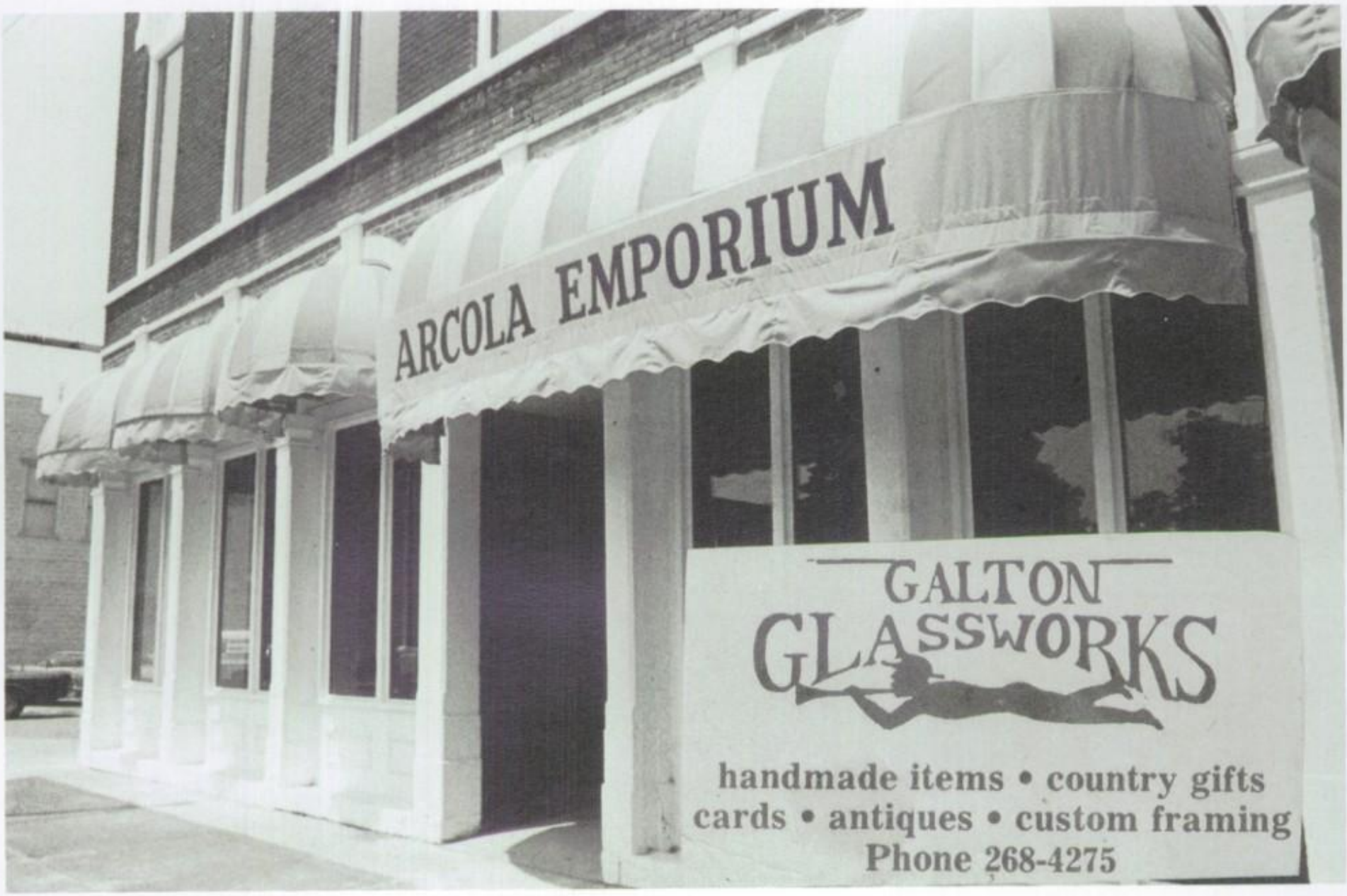

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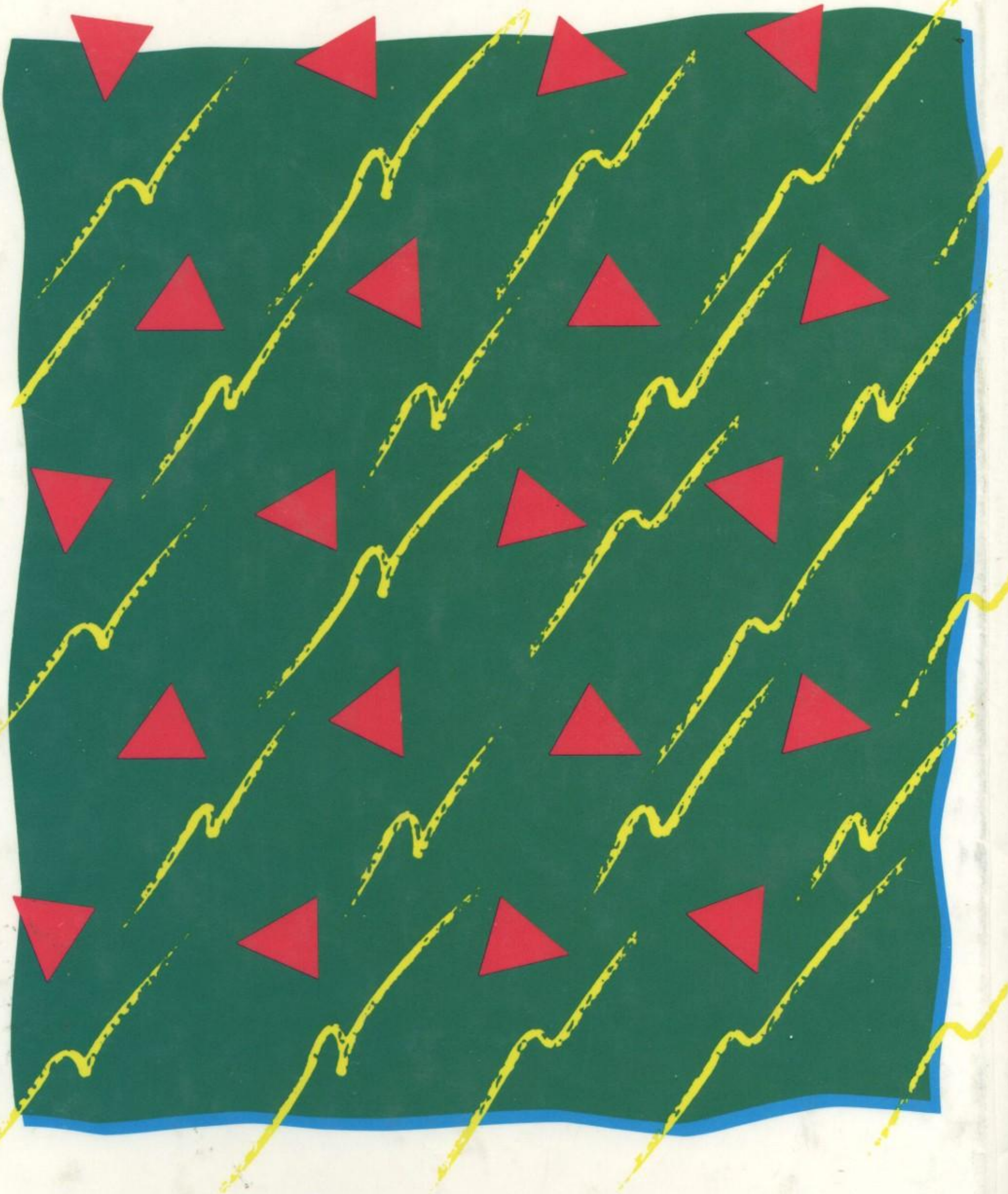
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